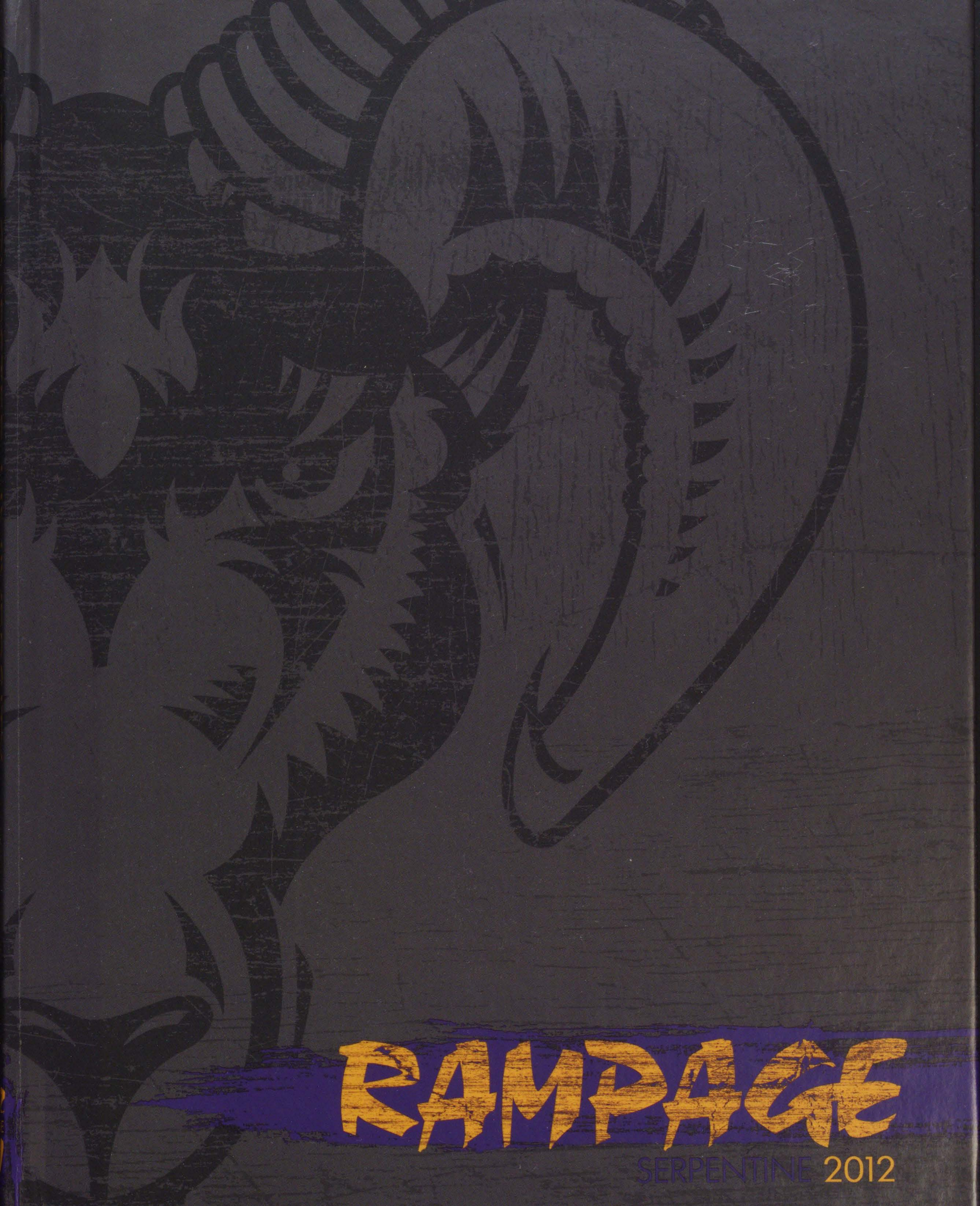
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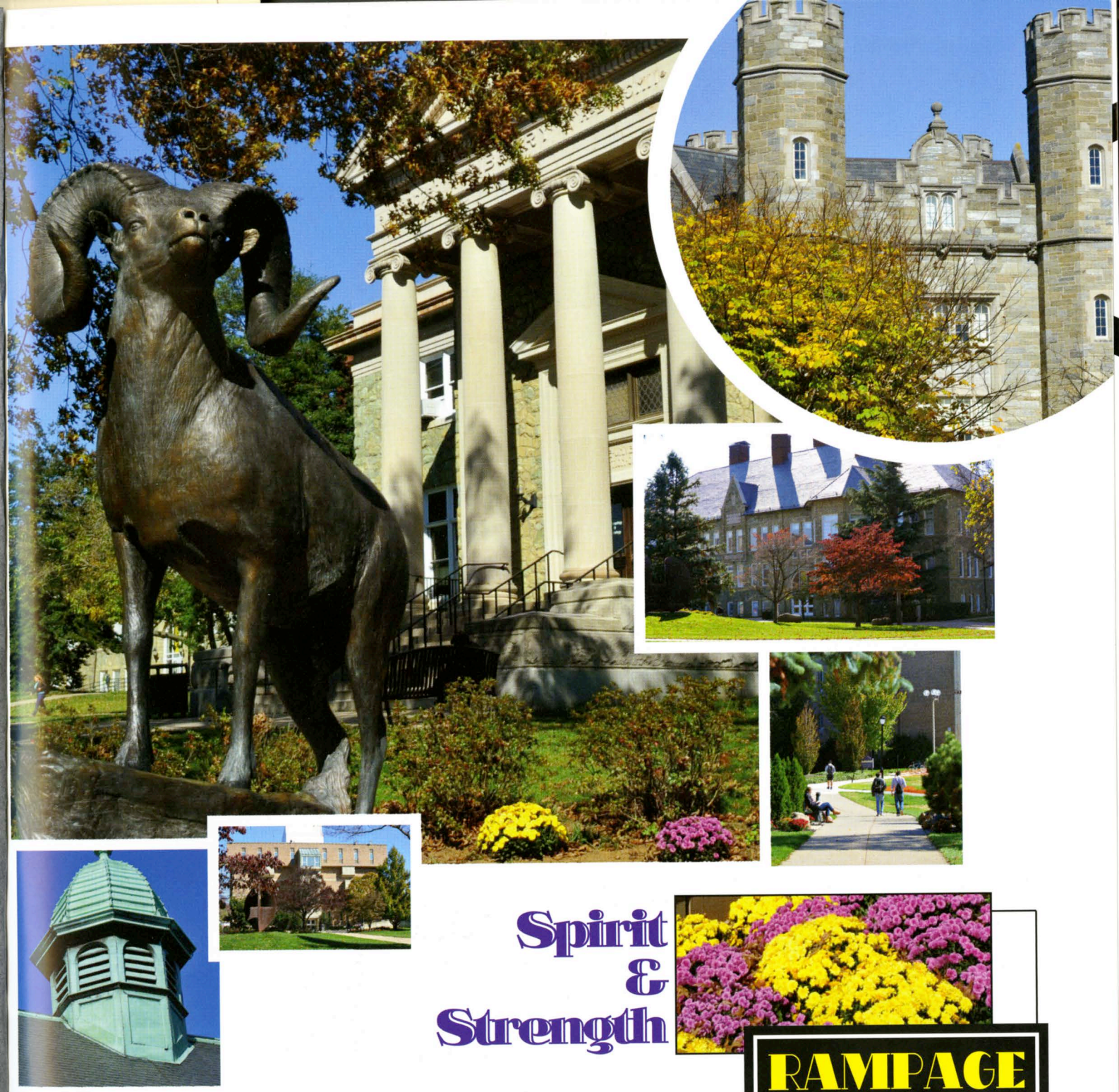

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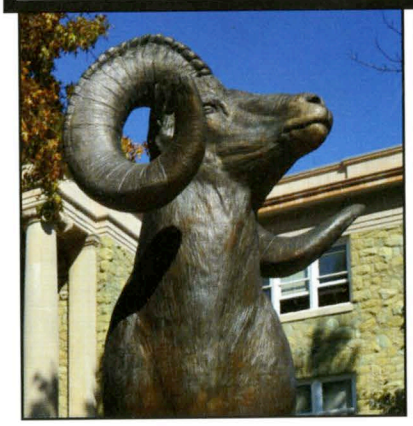

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The beautiful West Chester campus makes for a great place to study and relax.

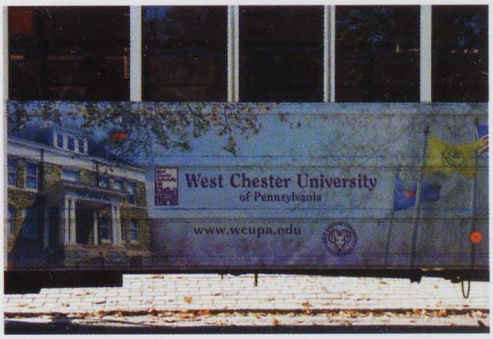
CHARGING AHEAD

Our time at college is fleeting—this is the only time in our lives that we have this kind of freedom and this many opportunities. Many of you reminisced with one another, saying, "Where have the past four years gone?" But you had lived every second of those homecoming parades, football games, stressful finals, snowstorms in October, and hanging out in the dorms. You've grown up, shared laughter and tears, learned, and lived together. Now, you've passed your exams, accomplished your goals, and finally gotten your degrees.

You may be done with college, but your education does not end here. The hard part is moving on from the school that became your home and finding a new life out in the "real world." Learning to live a life outside college might be daunting, and whenever you feel discouraged, open this book. Remember why you were here. Remember what drove you to choose that major, and what you wanted to do with it. John Updike once said, "You cannot help but learn more as you take the world into your hands. Take it up reverently, for it is an old piece of clay, with millions of thumbprints on it." You are a west chester golden ram, a force to be reckoned with, and the world is yours to mold.

congratulations west chester university class of 2012!

Students pass by the new Student Recreation Center still under construction while on their way to Lawrence Hall for some lunch.



Top Right: Two students study together before a midterm outside of Ruby Jones Hall.
Bottom Right: South Campus students frequently utilize the WCU bus system.
Left: Students lounge around the pillars of the Old Library before their next classes.

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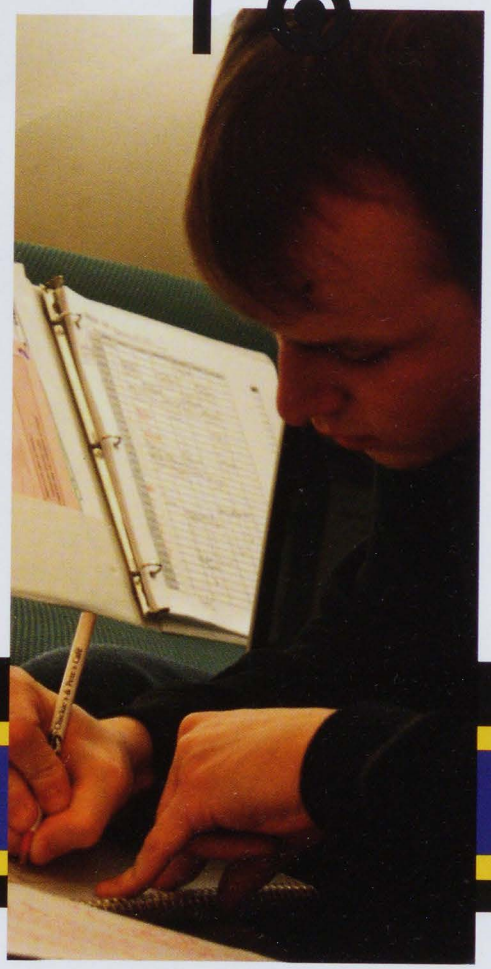

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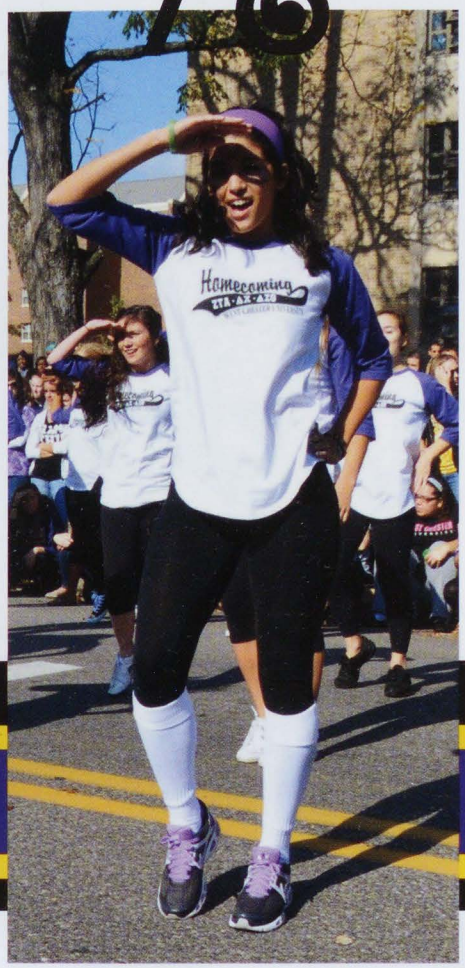

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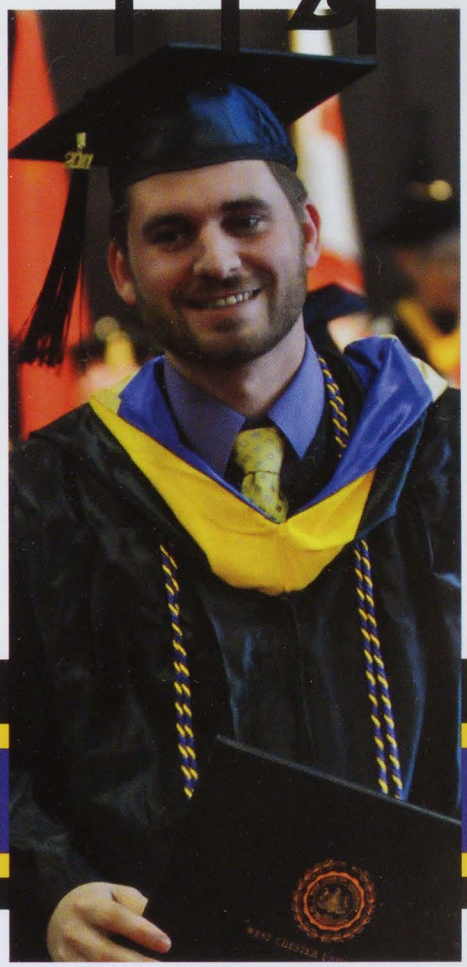
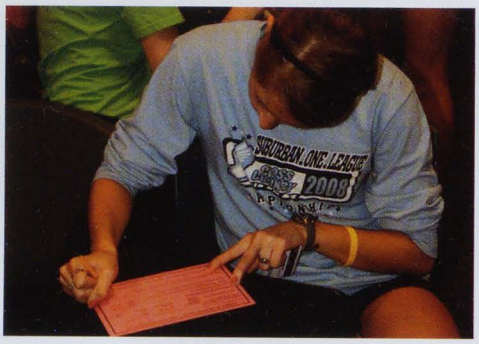


STUDENT LIFE

SO MUCH MORE THAN A STUDENT BODY

We are the students of West Chester University, and represent much more than just another student body. Last year alone, our students performed nearly 300,000 hours of volunteering, and that number is destined to escalate. With a growing collection of clubs and organizations to join, residence hall socials to attend, community service events to enjoy, and Sykes After Dark events to participate, there is always something for everyone, and always an opportunity to grow and meet new people. Balancing life as a student and as an involved and spirited West Chester Golden Ram can be a challenge, but it is one that we have all been eager to accept.



These students (pictured right) are enjoying their time in Brandywine Hall. They've already become good friends here at West Chester!

(Pictured below) These three students are helping eachother study for an exam in their hall's lounge.

These girls are enjoying a crafty hall function. A great way to socialize!

Dorm living!

These two gentlemen (pictured above) are working on a tough homework assignment. Working hard to get an A!

This girl (left) is getting crafty at a hall social event!

Dorm Life

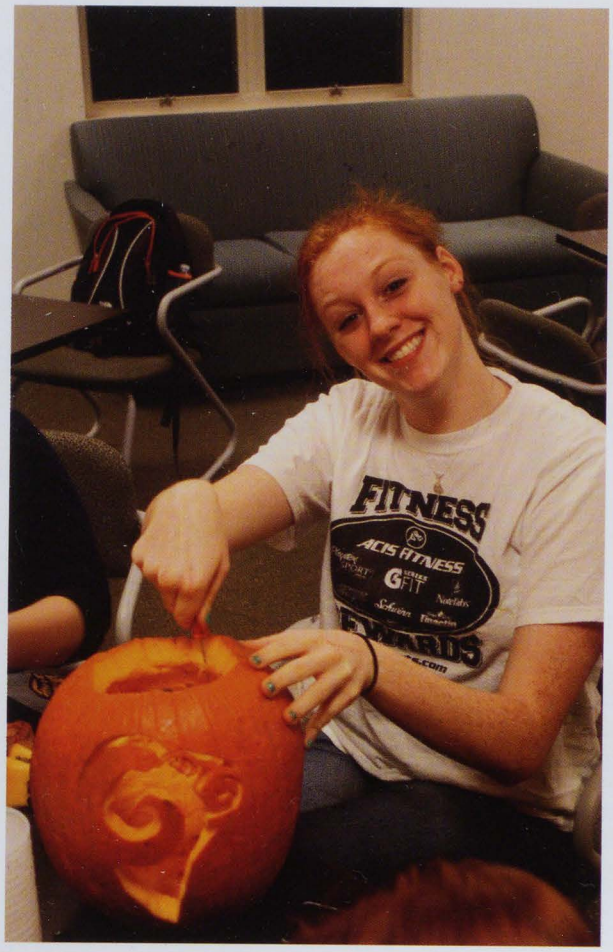
The Ultimate College Experience

Living in a residence hall here at West Chester is perhaps one of the most valuable college life experiences a student could ever have. The dorms are where students live and grow socially, where they learn to live on their own and take care of themselves before setting out into the real world. In the dorms, students meet some of their best friends, and these friendships will last a life time, even after graduation. Halls usually have socials, functions, awareness seminars, and other fun activities -- getting involved socially is easy in a dorm! The memories made living in one of the campus's nine residency halls will last a life time.

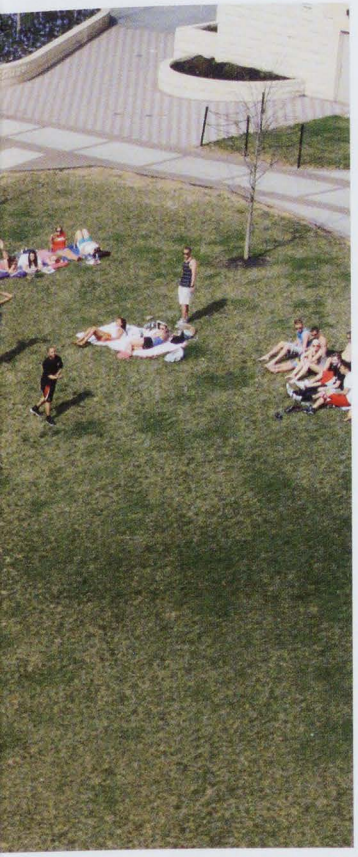
It's movie time! These ladies and gentleman are enjoying a film in Brandywine Hall's theater.

Right: Students enjoy the warm weather and catch a few rays in the Affiliated Housing quad, surrounded by Allegheny, Brandywine, and University Halls.

Below: This delighted resident participates in her dorm's Halloween social - look at those pumpkin carving skills!



These students hang out and work on school work in Brandywine Hall's common area lounge. Who says you can't make friends AND be productive?



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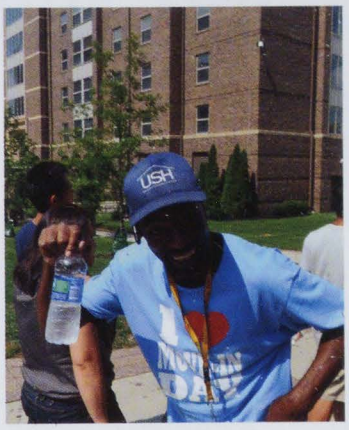


Above: This gentleman is really excited about moving into Affiliated Housing!
Left: Students carry their belongings and push their carts up to their new home-away-from-home, Allegheny Hall!

Affiliated Dorms

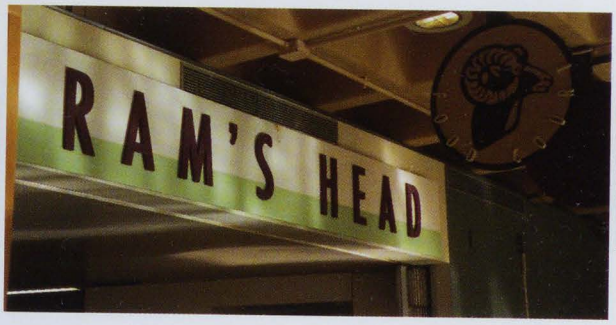
A different dorming experience!

Brandywine, Allegheny, and University Halls are the three affiliated housing dorms out of the nine total residencies on campus. Brandywine is the home of the Patriots; Allegheny, the Knights; University Hall, the Dragons. Each dorm has a great and comfortable living experience to offer, and it's like living in an apartment on campus! Each has a great living community, friendly residents, and a homey, welcoming vibe -- they're like a home away from home!

These three girls stop for a picture in Brandywine Hall's lobby - their faces are a clear indication of how much they enjoy their Affiliated Housing dorm!

Below: The Diner is always there if you are craving a milkshake, breakfast food any time of day, or a good, old-fashioned burger and fries!

Right: Lawrence Dining Hall's main dining room, where most students sit to enjoy their daily meals.



Ram's Head Food Court (exterior, pictured left; interior, pictured right) is the hottest spot in Sykes for food. Pizza, salads, soups, home comforts, pasta, a full deli, burgers, fries, cheesesteaks, snacks, ice cream, Chick-fil-A -- Ram's Head Food Court has it all!

Order up!

The baristsas at Starbucks are always ready to prepare the coffee orders! They are an important part of many students' days - they supply the caffeinated fuel needed to stay awake and study!

Dining

Are you hankering for a nice breakfast? Check out the omelette station at Lawrence Dining Hall. Craving a delicious milkshake? Order one at The Diner. Fancy a cup of coffee? There's a few places for that: Starbucks, Java City, and Einstein Bros Bagels! Looking to grab a quick meal or a snack? Ram's Head Food Court in Sykes is the place for you! At West Chester, there's always a place to satisfy your cravings!

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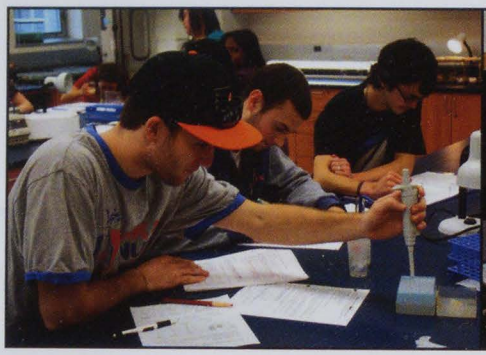
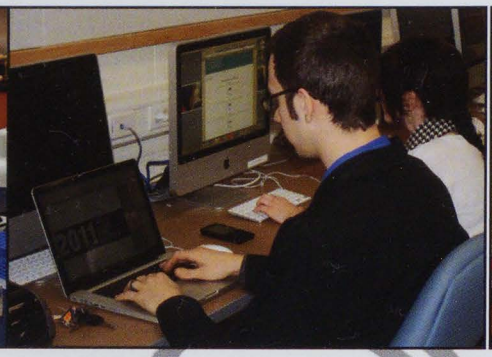
SAY CHEESE!

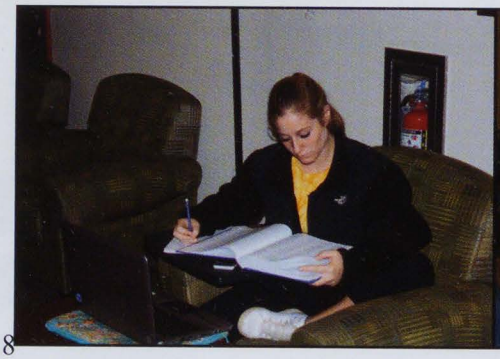
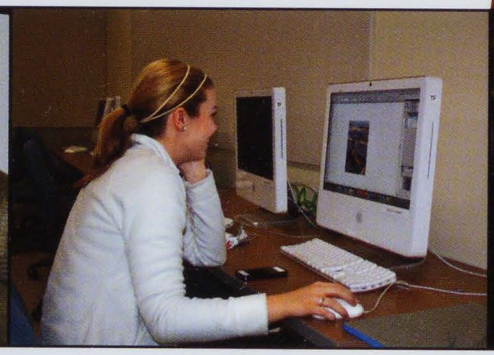
Campus Candids

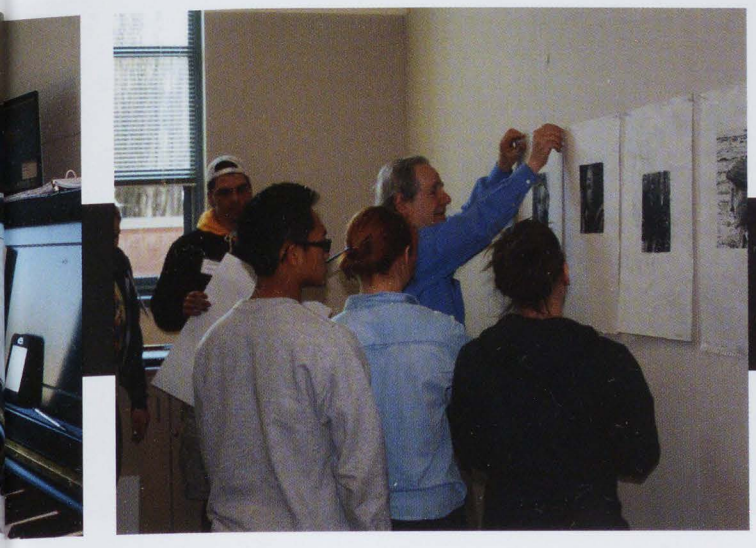



ACADEMICS

OPENING BOOKS TO OPEN MINDS

Among only three Pennsylvania colleges and universities to make the 2012 Kiplinger's "Best Values in Public Colleges" list, there truly is something for everyone here at West Chester University. This one-of-a-kind university boasts an "all-Steinway" music school, an accredited business program, and several other top-notch points of recognition. With over 15,000 students, and being the fourth largest education institution in the Philadelphia region, the university offers over 80 undergraduate programs, and over 70 graduate programs.

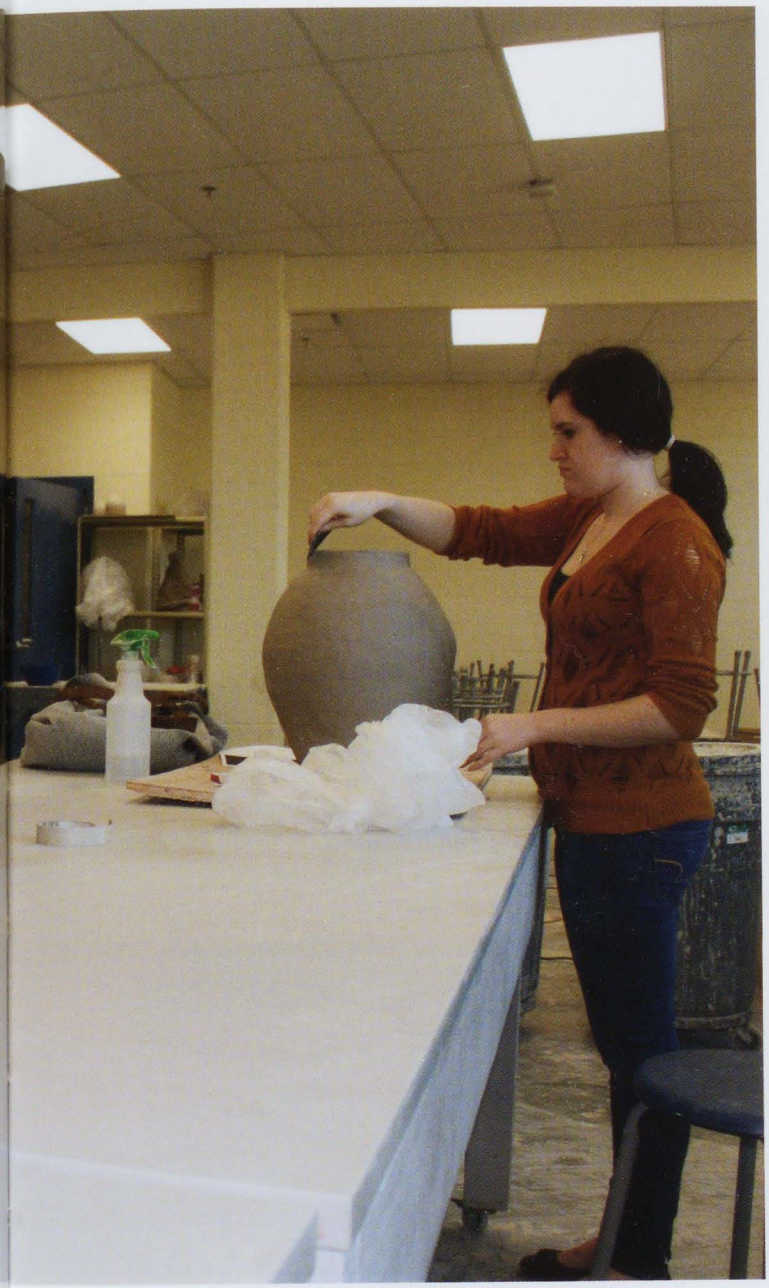





Senior Spotlight

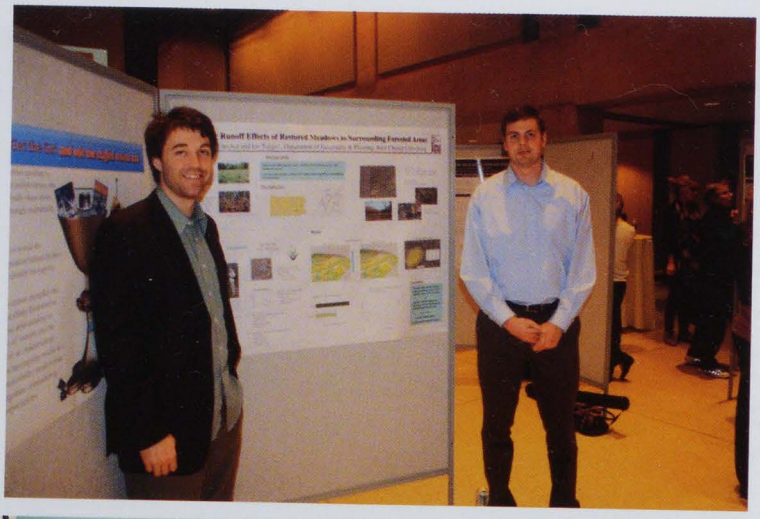
Name:
Jessica Gabage
Major:
Music Education, Piano

Jess was actively involved at WCU with Sigma Alpha Iota, Cantari Donne, Mastersingers, Percussion Ensemble, University Ambassadors, and was a piano accompanist. She went with Dr. Patricia Powell and other music students in 2011 to Oxford Philomusica Piano Festival at Oxford University. Jess was also selected as a recipient of the Who's Who Among Students in American Universities & Colleges award and the Outstanding Teacher Education Senior 2012 award. "I am prepared to be a successful music teacher with abundant resources, references, mentors, and friends in the field. I feel confident and ready to enter my profession. After college, I will continue to teach people of all ages the benefits and joys of music education through private piano instruction and classroom music education."



COLLEGE OF VISUAL *and* PERFORMING ARTS

The College of Visual and Performing Arts proudly offers art exhibits, theatrical performances, recitals, and concerts that display the true talent this university has to offer. The Swope Music Building and Performing Arts Center gives West Chester University the title of being the only School of Music in the Pennsylvania State System of Higher Education. This year, the new E.O. Bull Center for the Arts opened its doors for artistic minds. Whether you enjoy ceramics, dance, music history, painting, graphic design, or musical theater, West Chester enables the minds of its creative students to flourish.



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Senior Spotlight

Name:
Mohammed Tamzid Hossain

Major:
Cell and Molecular Biology

Tamzid is a senior and an international student from Dhaka, Bangladesh. Tamzid is a Resident Assistant at the Village, Founding Father of Delta Chi Fraternity, Orientation Leader, and a member of the Student Leadership Project Team. He is also currently conducting research with Dr. Xin Fan on mice using Haemophilus influenzae virus mimicking Pneumonia in the human body. Tamzid enjoyed being involved on campus, being part of a brotherhood that gives back to the community, being a paraprofessional, and aspires to make a difference in peoples' lives every day. "'All our dreams can come true – if we have the courage to pursue them.' – Walt Disney. Study hard, get involved, make friends, and enjoy yourself. Make sure your Golden Ram experience is a memorable one. Be relentless and stay on your feet!"

COLLEGE OF ARTS *and* SCIENCES

CAS is the largest college at WCU, with 13 departments enrolling nearly 4,000 undergraduates and over 600 graduate students. These departments offer a wide variety of degree programs in the humanities, social sciences, and sciences. At the heart of CAS faculty is their dedication to teaching and student involvement. Highly involved and engaged professors provide each student with the ability to excel in a variety of interested fields and majors. The faculty have been recognized on regional and international levels for their research, publications, and leadership. With nearly twenty majors and over thirty clubs and organizations to become involved with, the College of Arts and Sciences provides a broad range of opportunities for students to further the development of their high-quality education.

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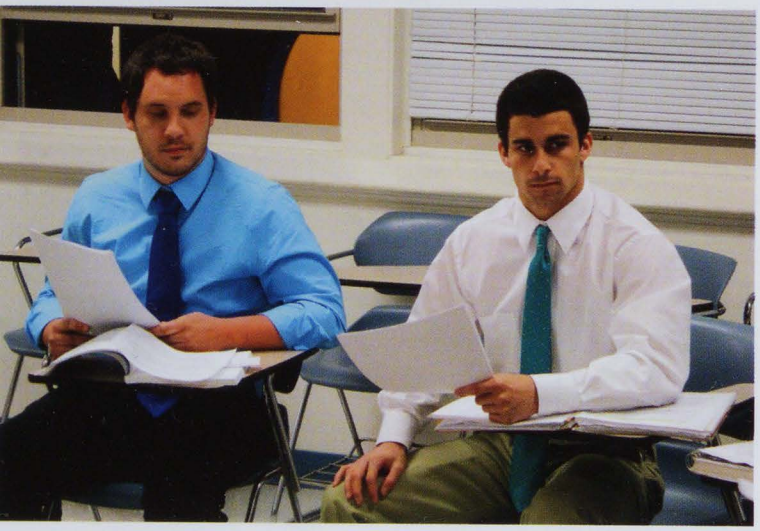

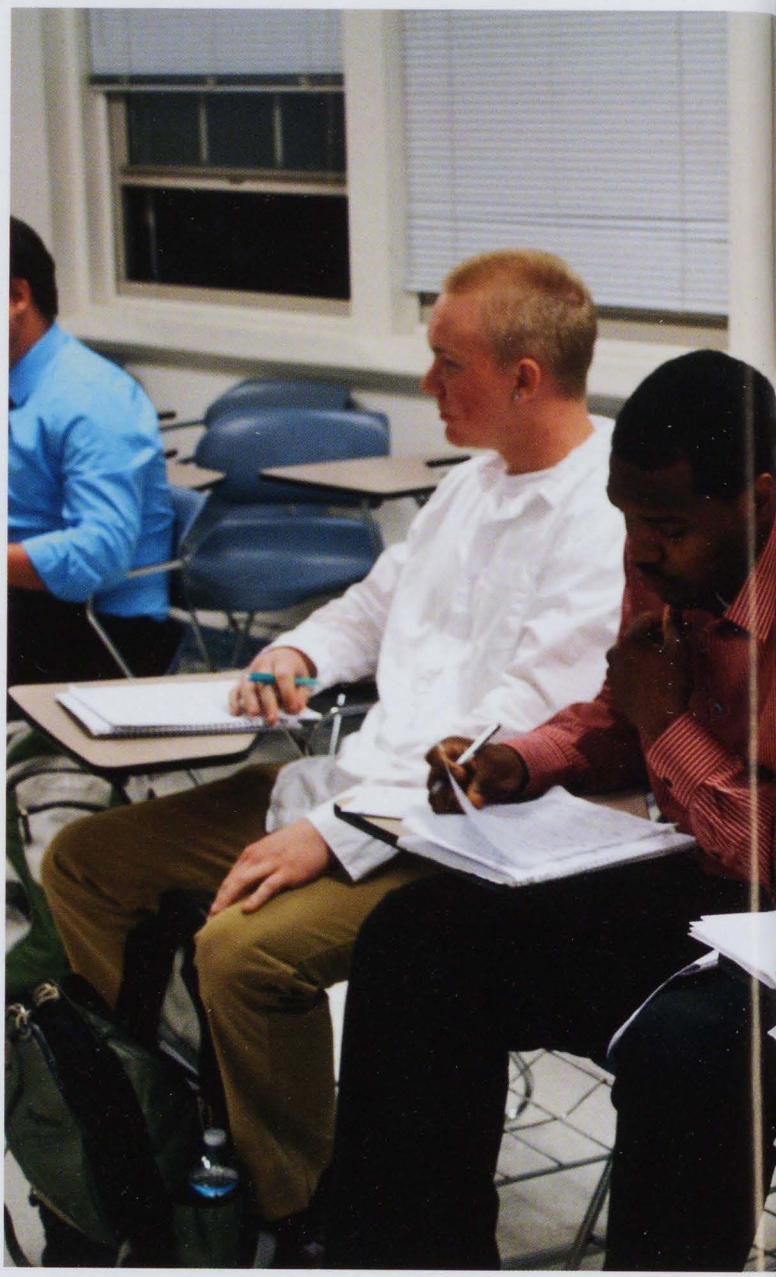

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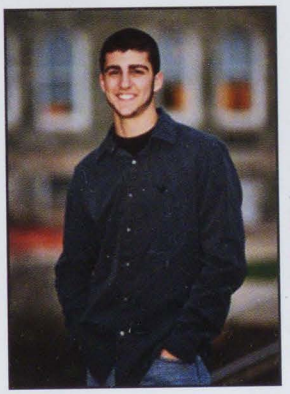
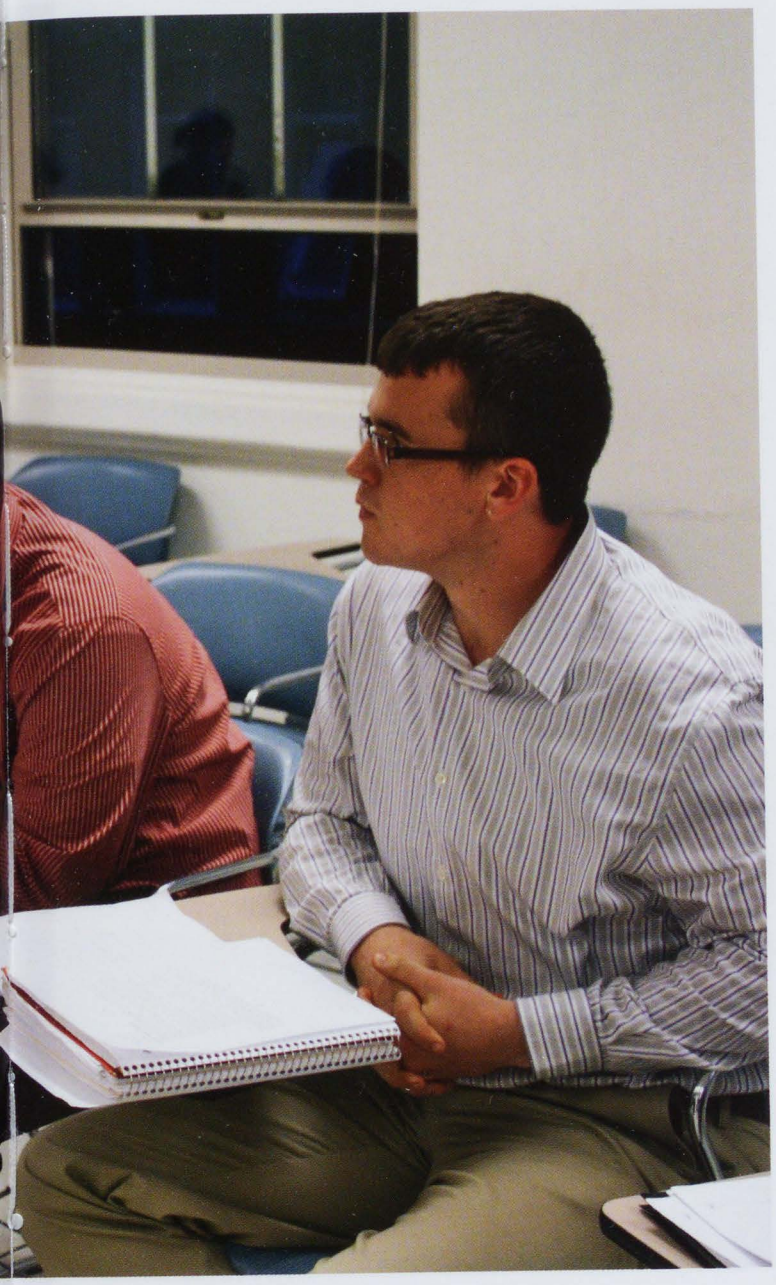


Name:
Leonard B. Altieri III

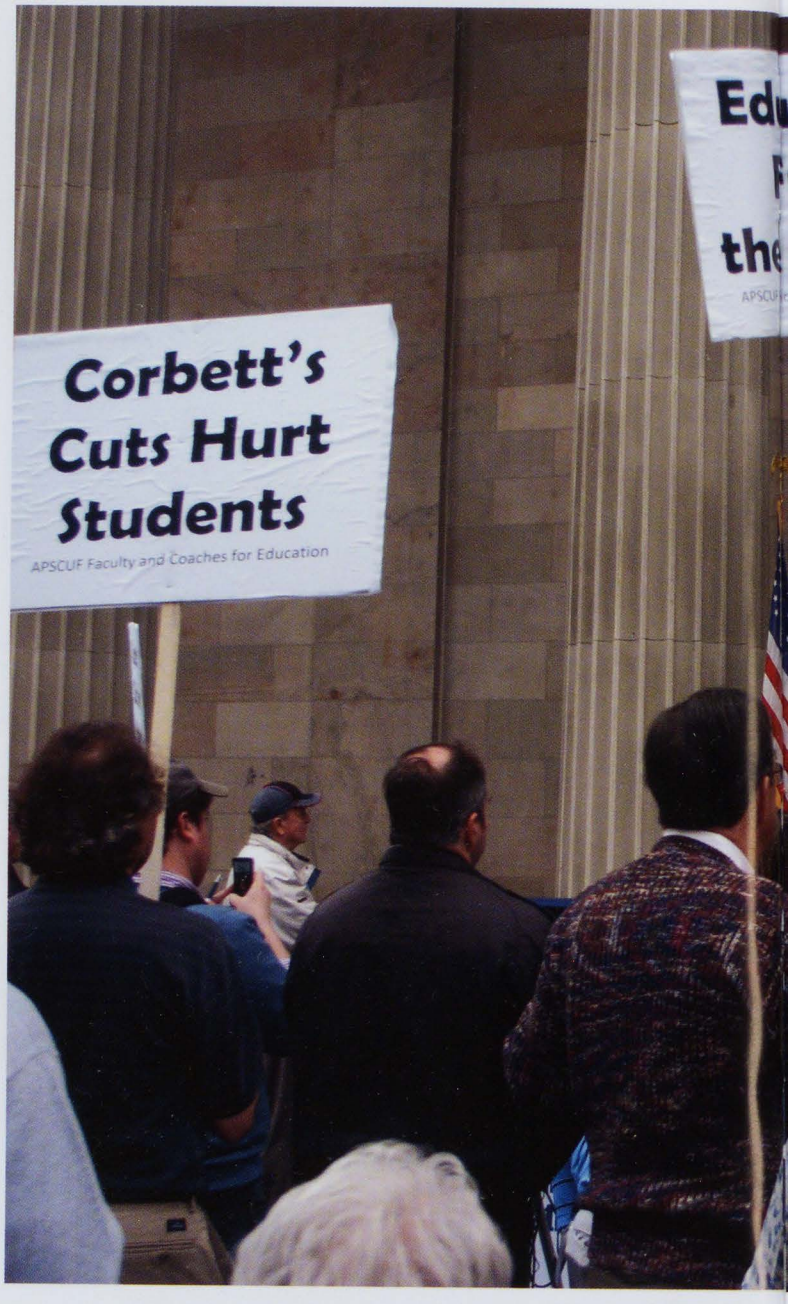
Major:
Political Science

As a student representative on the PASSHE Board of Governors, Leonard considers one of his major accomplishments to be "having the honor and privilege to take part in the interviews for the positions of presidents at Lock Haven, IUP, East Stroudsburg and Slippery Rock Universities." Leonard was also the first student in the almost 30-year history of the State System to serve on the PASSHE Finance, Administration and Facilities Committee that is responsible for writing the overall $1.5 billion dollar budget for the system. Elected as a sophomore to serve as Student Government Association president in his junior year, he was also a student senator and played a key role on West Chester's Middle-States Re-Accreditation Self Study and Strategic Planning committees. Altieri is currently working part time as the Chester County campaign coordinator for state Senate Majority Leader Dominic Pileggi. He will take the position full time after graduating, working for Council of Trustees member Christine Costello '05.



COLLEGE OF BUSINESS *and* PUBLIC AFFAIRS

The College of Business and Public Affairs offers a variety of internships within all programs of study, with all business programs accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB). Current enrollment is approximately 2,000 undergraduate students and 400 graduate students. Programs feature small classes, highly qualified faculty, and they also work with organizations and businesses, allowing students to provide and serve as valuable resources. Several majors and clubs and activities enable students to acquire skills that will prepare them for work beyond the college experience.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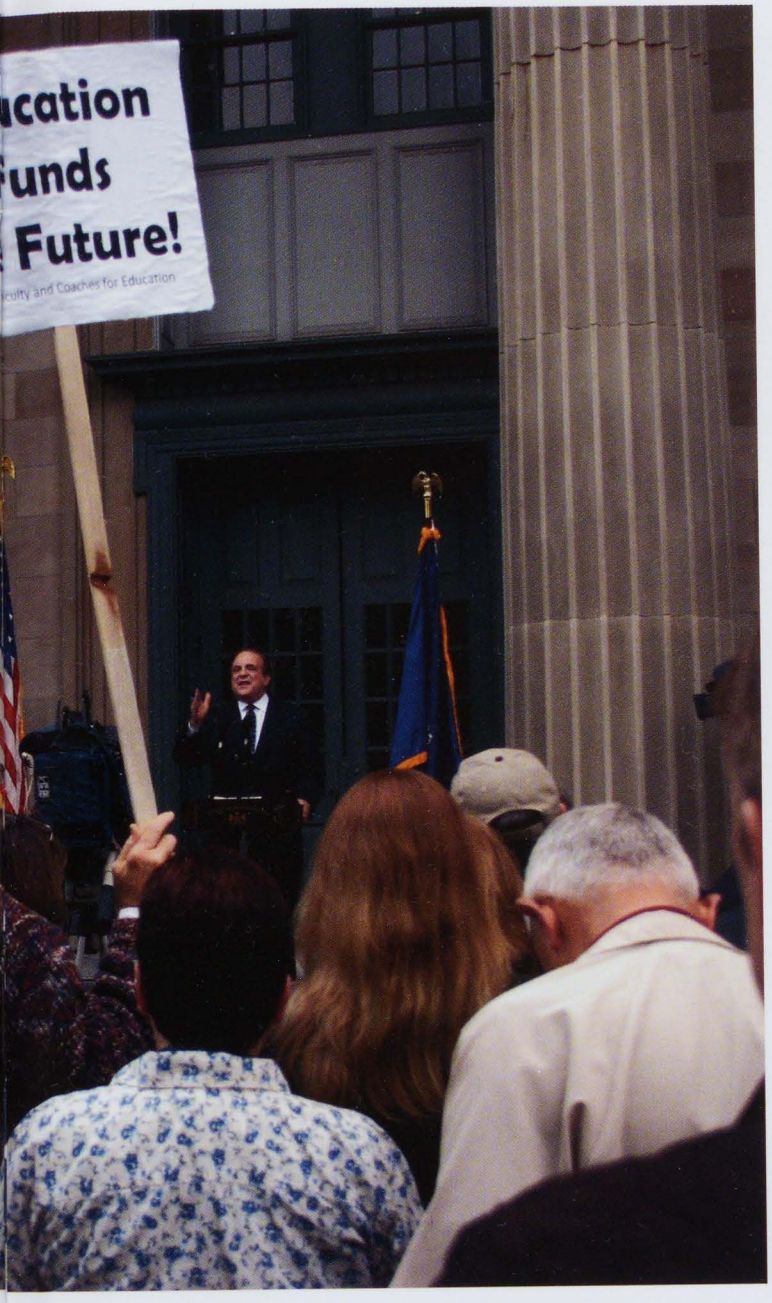
Senior Spotlight

Name:
Driana Rai Jones

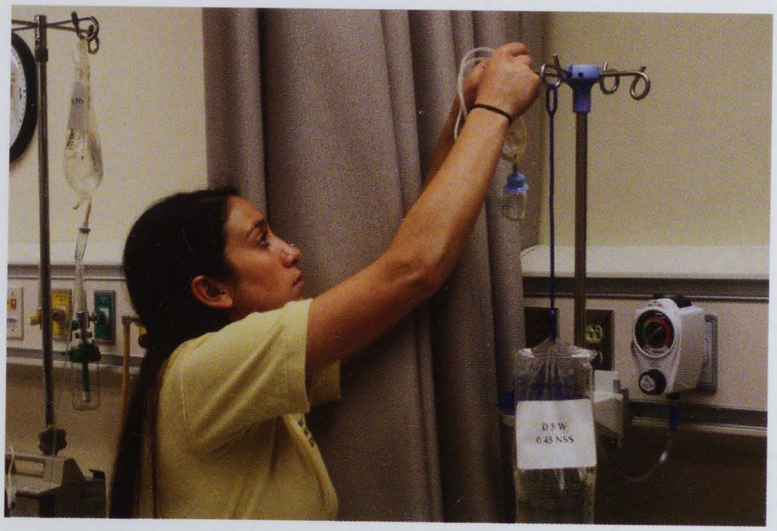
Major:
Elementary Education

Driana Rai Jones is from Philadelphia, PA where she attended Springfield Township High School. She is a member of the Gospel Choir, Precise Modeling, Black Student Union, and the Multicultural Recruitment Team. She enjoys volunteering, writing, hanging with friends at Goshen Hall and pursuing happiness and success! "Get involved! Get involved! Get Involved! It's not hard to get out there and join organizations. There are over 200 clubs. It's a great way to make friends, make connections and fill up all that free time college students have. College is more than just classes!"



COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

It seems as though we have all heard that West Chester University is a top Pennsylvania school for teacher education and certification, and it most definitely is. Students experience a selection of excellent faculty, with the opportunity to complete student teaching at nearly forty surrounding school districts. Undergraduate degree programs not only include courses of study within the College of Education, but also offer programs of study combined with the College of Business and Public Affairs and the College of Arts and Sciences. No matter what level of education you plan on studying, West Chester University has truly proven to be top-notch.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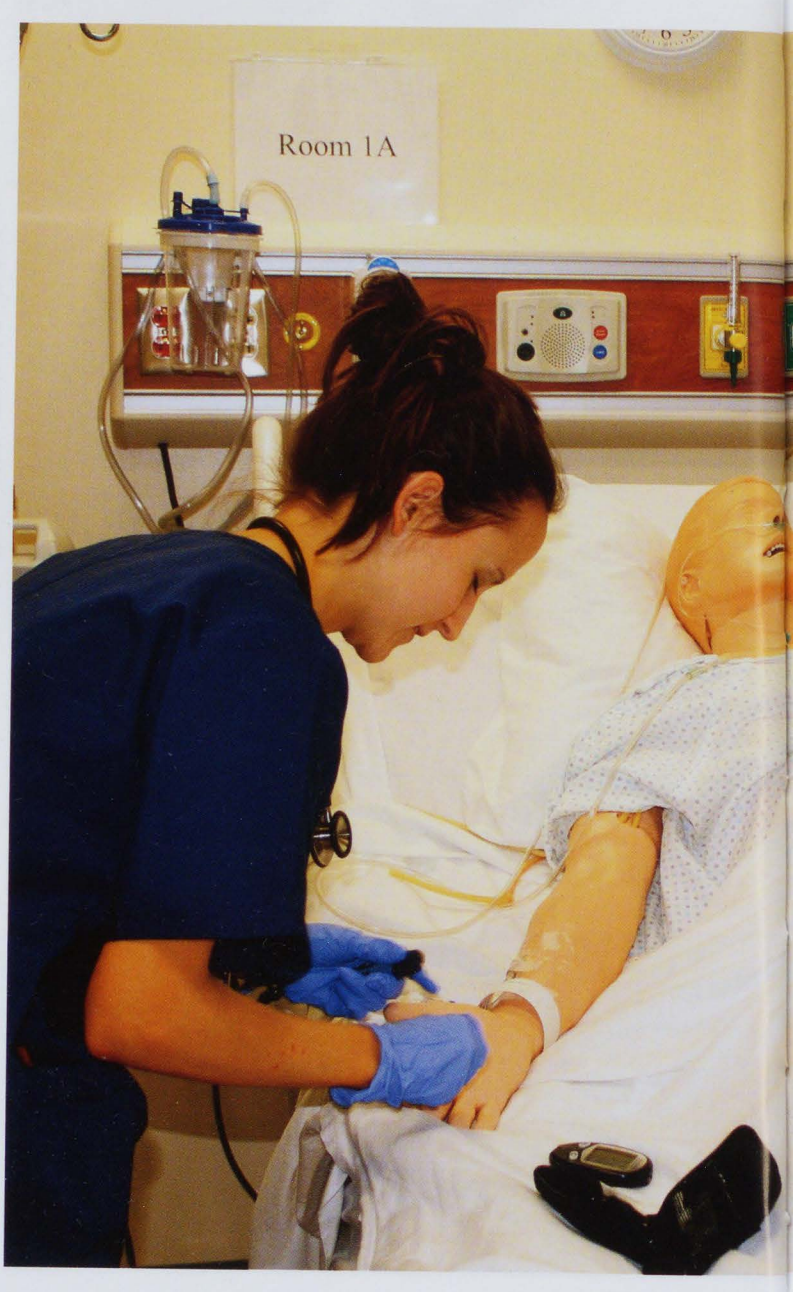
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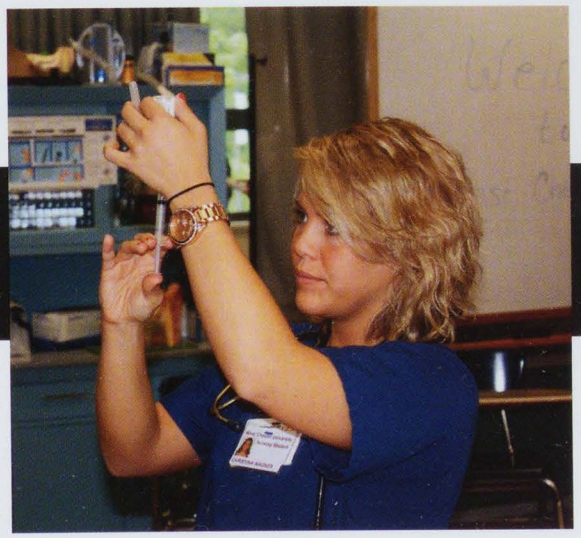
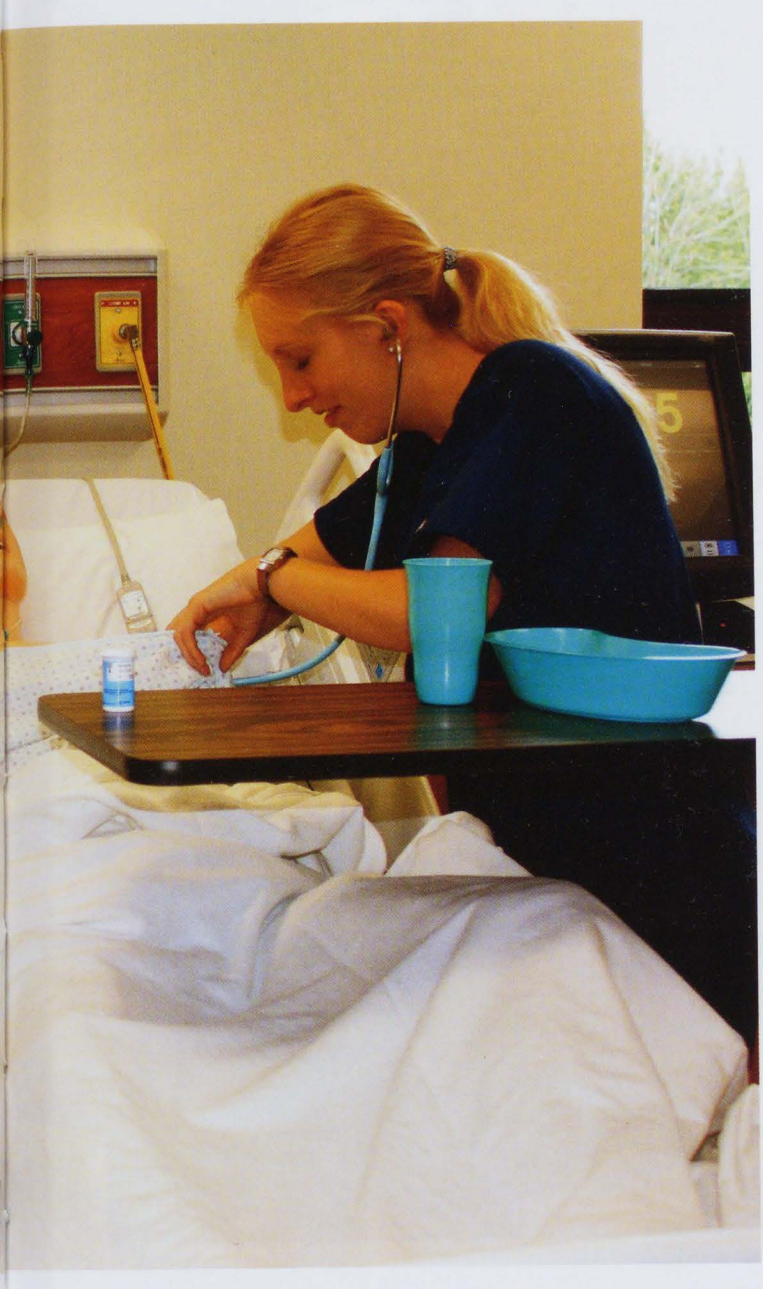


Senior Spotlight

Name:
Christine Yim

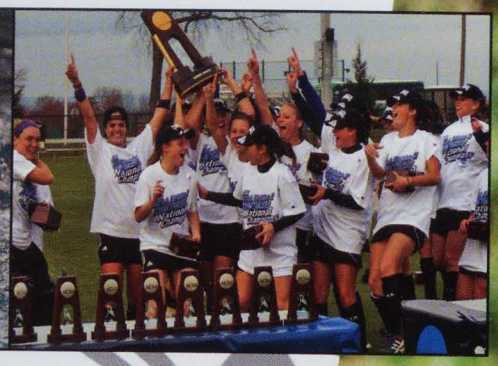
Major:
Nutrition and Health Science

Christine is from Lancaster, PA and was a Resident Assistant at the Village. She was also a member of the 2011-2012 Student Leadership Challenge. She plans on pursuing a career in Higher Education and Student Affairs due to the large impact being a Resident Assistant has had on her life. "Being a Resident Assistant and having the opportunity to work with those that I have, really opened my eyes to this field of work. I would be honored to have the chance to make a difference on a college campus every single day as my supervisors, Austin Duckett and Melissa Mullins, have done so far. 'Keep away from people who try to belittle your ambitions. Small people always do that, but the really great make you feel that you, too, can become great.' -- Mark Twain. Take every opportunity that is given to you, become involved, make your college experience one where you can always look back and say you did everything you could."



COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

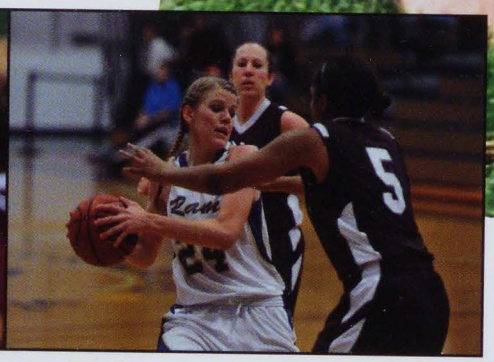
The demand for medical and health science professionals is growing, and why not experience internships, outstanding faculty, clinical experience, special study programs, and a high-quality cirriculum at West Chester University? Sophisticated facilities, including a speech hearing clinic, a food preparation laboratory, several gymnasiums, a human performance laboratory, and athletic training rooms make your learning experience one-of-a-kind. Students truly are able to acquire the skills and experience needed to succeed in their careers.



ATHLETICS

OF SOUND MIND AND BODY

West Chester University has a strong, national tradition of excellence in athletics. The athletic program consists of 24 intercollegiate teams that all compete at the Division II level. Athletically gifted students are given the opportunity to compete in a sport that they love while getting to enjoy a traditional college experience. WCU utilizes nine top-notch facilities, from state-of-the-art upgrades to the school's football field, which doubles as home to the men's and women's outdoor track & field squads, to the traditional surroundings of Hollinger Field House nestled in the hub of North Campus, where West Chester hosts NCAA championship events, regional finals, and conference titles. The West Chester Athletic Department continued its proud tradition of athletic and academic excellence in the 2011-2012 academic year, and every team rose to the occasion with hard work and by performing admirably.



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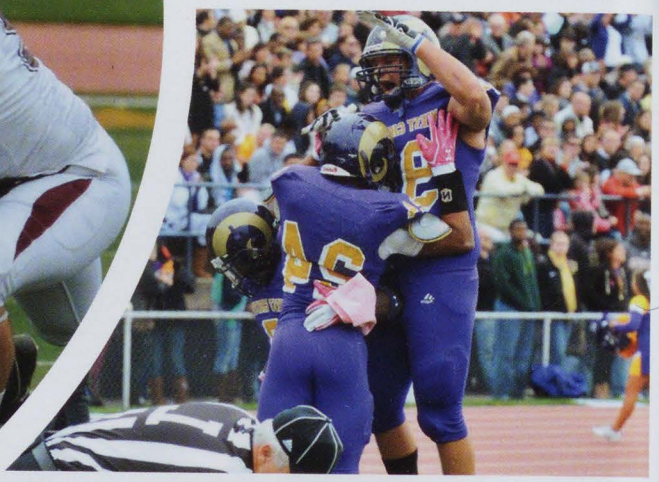

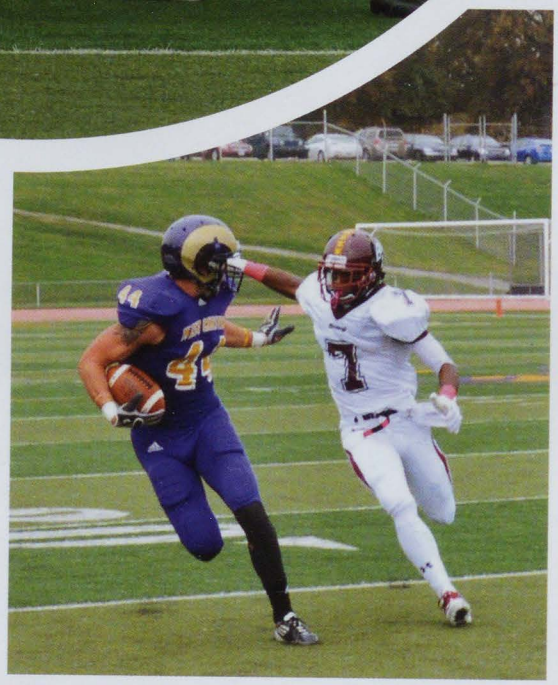

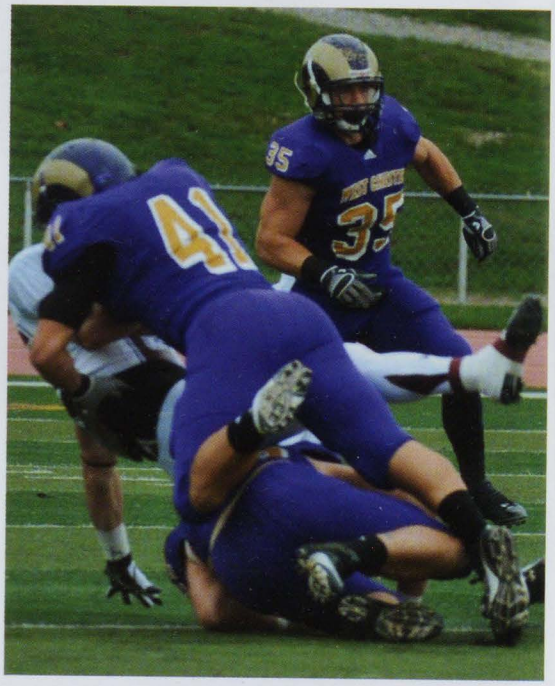
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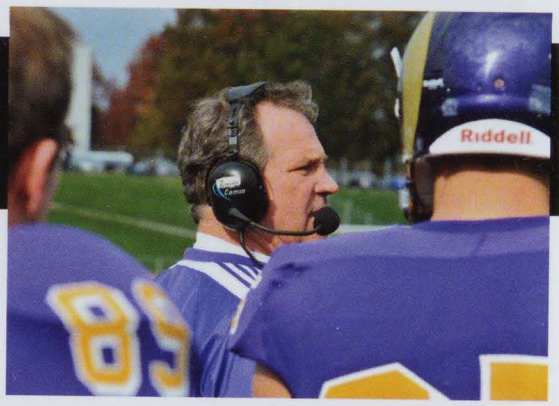
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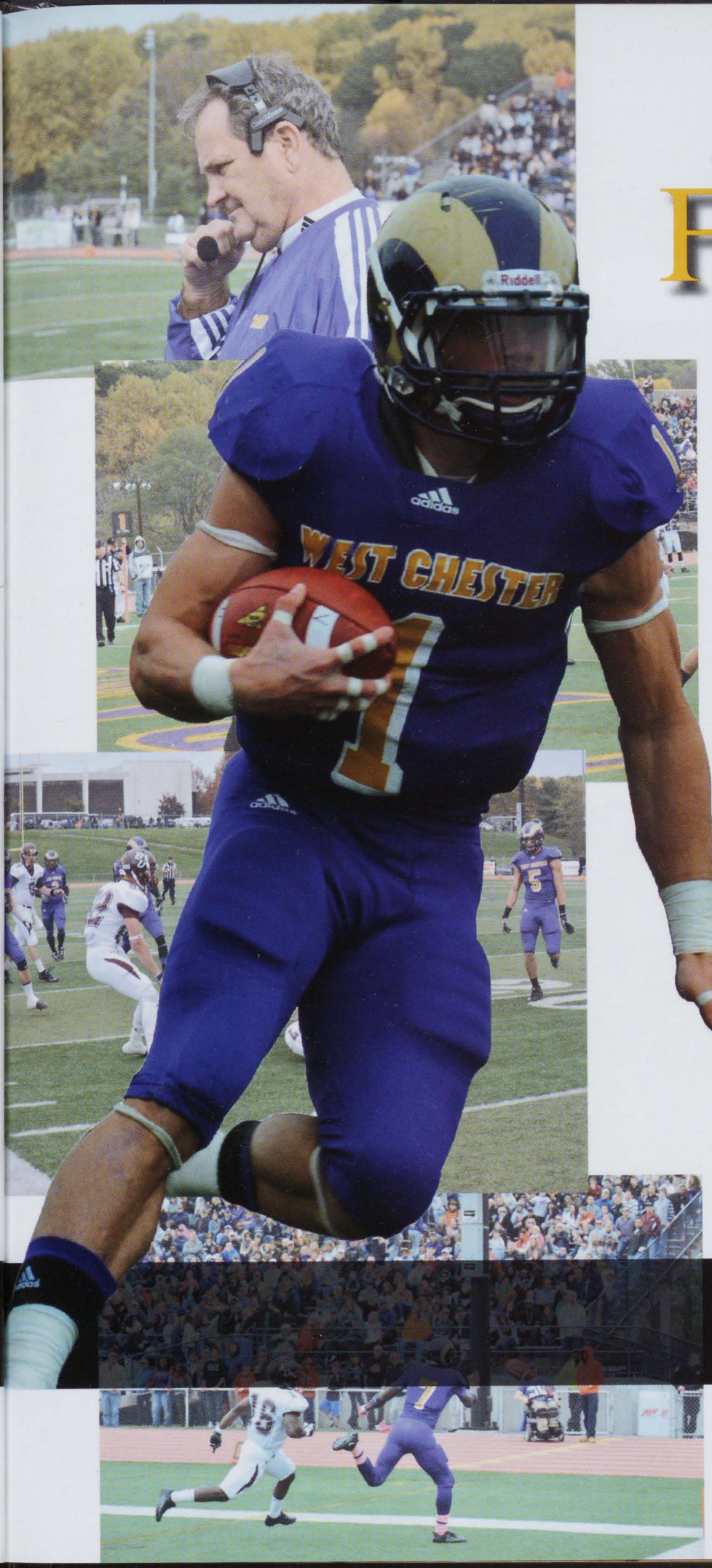
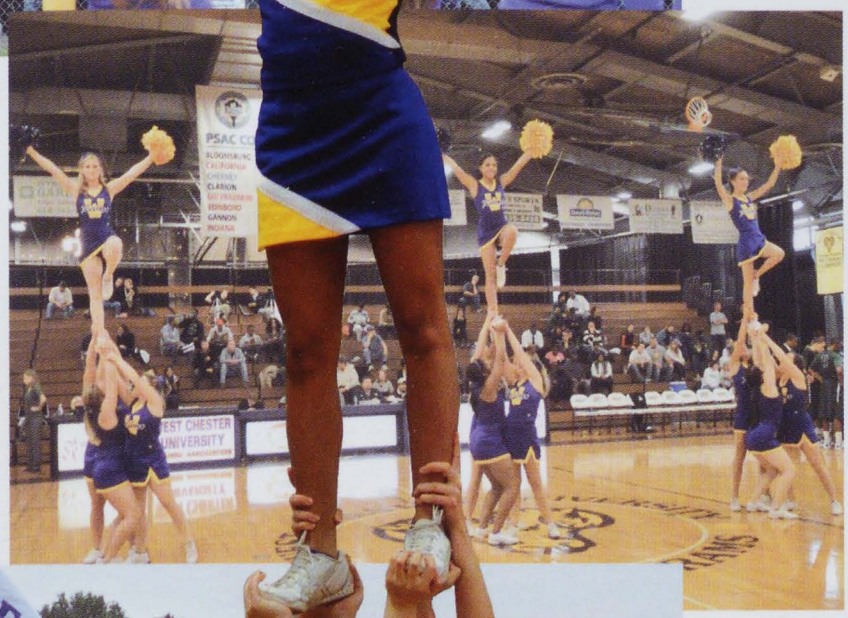


MEN'S Football

The football team played a tough season and ended with a score of five wins and six losses. The Golden Rams played an amazing game on November 5th against Millersville, wiping out their opponents 49 to 13. Another memorable game on October 29th had our football team competing against Kutztown in freezing temperatures and a snowstorm. Freshman inside linebacker Ronell Williams, sophomore runningback Rondell White, and junior free safety John O'Donnell were each named PSAC East Defensive Player of the Week during the season. West Chester landed four players on the All-PSAC East squad as second-team honorees, and five players were also represented on the 2011 Philadelphia Inquirer Acacemic All-Area squad. Senior offensive lineman Chris Faix, a four-year starter and letterwinner for the Golden Rams, was named to the 2011 Division II All-ECAC Football Squad. The team had a total of 96 players and although not everybody had a chance on the field, the energy of the players could be felt throughout the stadium. The players were led by 11 coaches, including head coach Bill Zwaan.

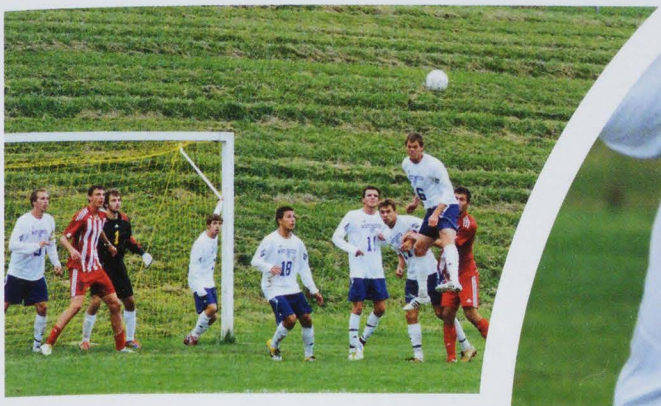
Cheerleading

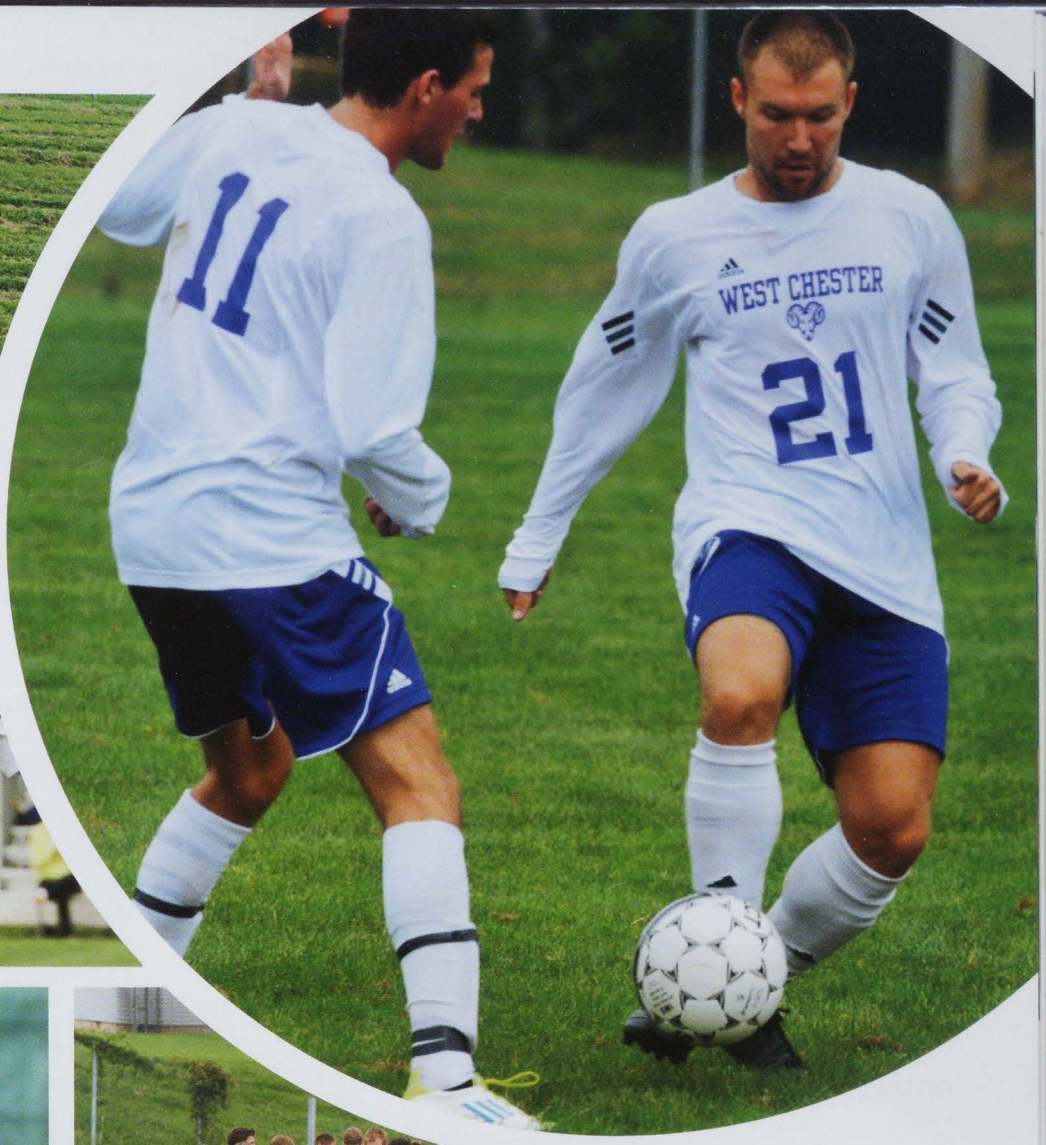


Both on the field and off the field, the cheerleaders at West Chester University have poise and enthusiasm. The cheerleaders work hard to keep the football and basketball players motivated during their games while encouraging the crowd to do the same. When they aren't busy bringing fans to their feet, the women of the cheerleading team are out being good role models and helping the community. They worked hard on family weekend to collect money for the Make-A-Wish foundation. Our cheerleaders were charitable enough to donate their time to a three-day cheerleading clinic to the excited cheerleaders at Emmaus High School. The teams worked hard together and the young ladies at Emmaus learned new techniques and improved their old ones.

MEN'S Soccer

The men's soccer team had a strong season that started with their first game's defeat of Lincoln. Some of their lead players featured junior Brett Snyder, who was named to the CoSIDA Academic All-District Squad, and returning sophomore Conor Malarney playing the forward postion. Through their hard work and determination, the team was able to go through their season as a hardworking and collective unit. They finished their season with five wins and nine ties.

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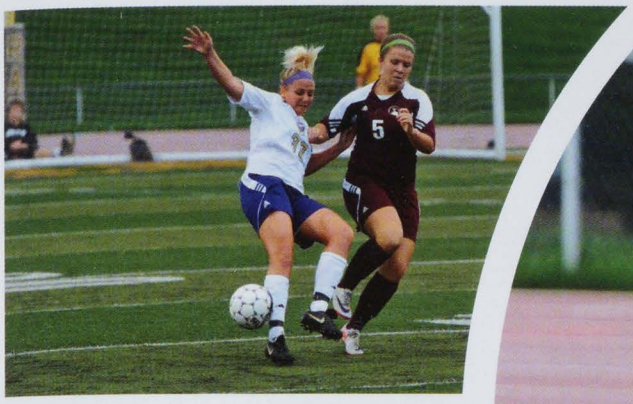
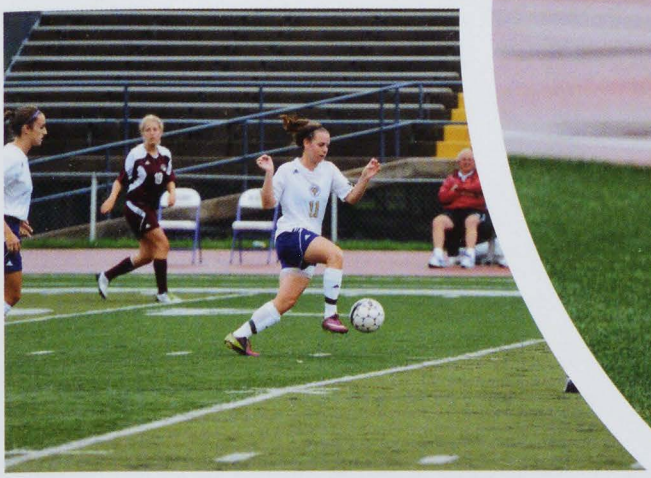
WOMEN'S Soccer

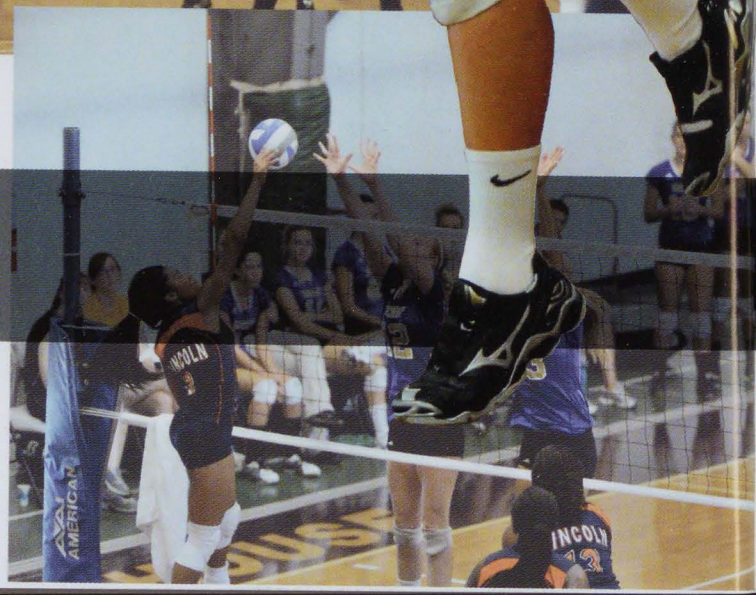
It was a great year for the women's soccer team. They finished their season with a total of 13 wins and only 4 losses. Their opener against Chestnut Hill was a shut-out with the Lady Rams scoring four goals to win the game. West Chester University's women's soccer squad earned a seat in the NCAA Division II Women's Soccer Tournament as the field of 48. The ladies were seeded fifth in the Atlantic Region and ended up squaring off against PSAC rival and fourth-seed Edinboro. The team competed in the NCAA Tournament and finished out their season ranking number four on the All-Conference Squad.

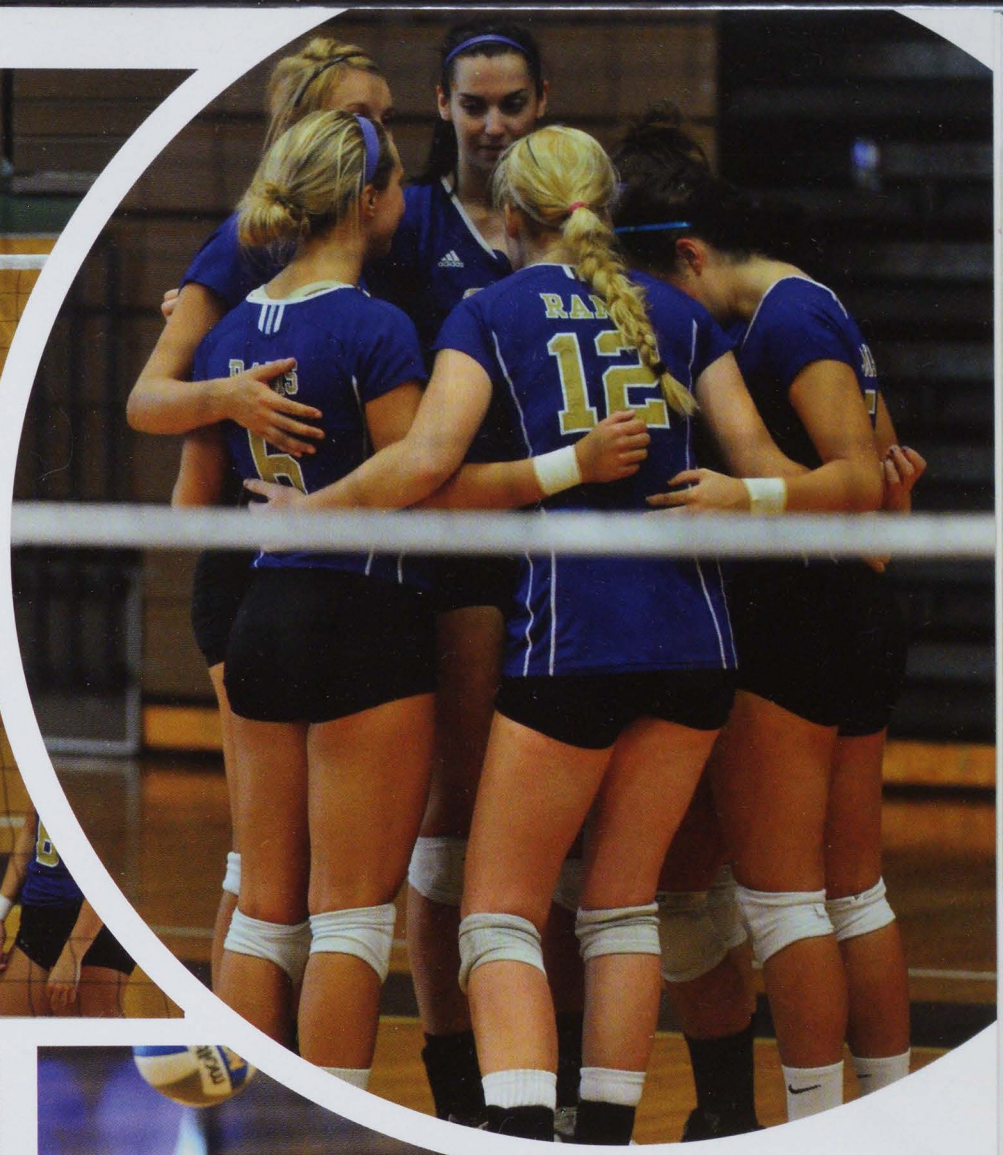




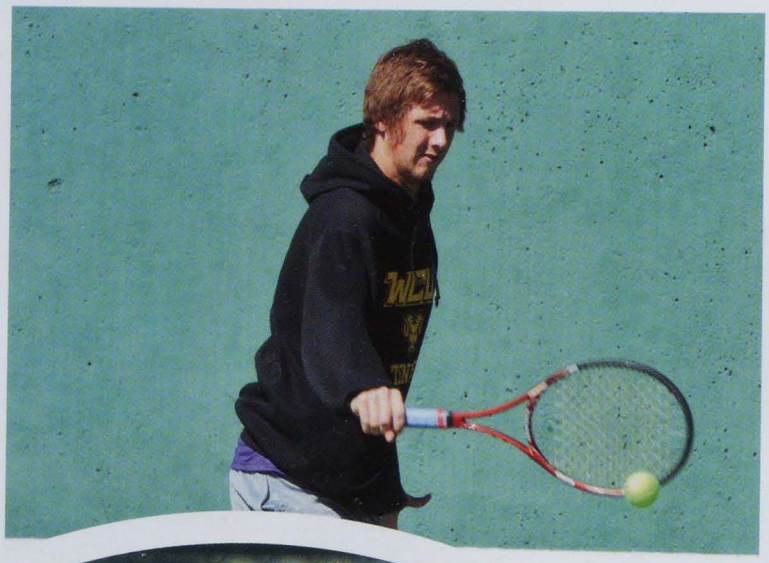
WOMEN'S Volleyball

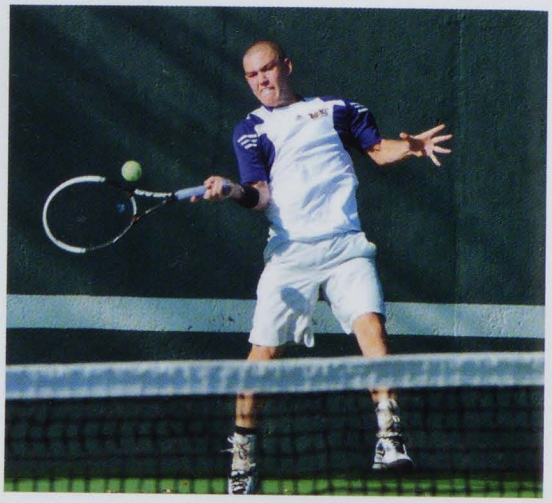
The West Chester volleyball team was quite successful this year. The first game of the season was inspiring: the ladies rallied from two sets down to win 3-2 over Holy Family at Millersville. After notably sweeping the teams at Mercyhurst, USciences, East Stroudsburg, Shippensburg, Lincoln, Georgian Court, and Cheyney, they lost their last regular-season game to Kutztown and finished in third place overall. They turned around and defeated Kutztown in the PSAC Quarterfinals, but lost to eventual PSAC champion California PA in the semifinal round. The Golden Rams wrapped up their season with a 22-14 overall record, going 9-10 in the PSAC conference. Junior outside hitter Lexi Kegerise won many awards and recognition for her hard work this season: she was named the PSAC Eastern Division Athlete of the Week and earned a spot on the 2011 ECAC Women's Volleyball All-Star squad. She and senior setter Helen Fitzpatrick were also awarded spots on the All-PSAC East squad for their excellent season. Coach Kassie Bellaver was recognized with the year-end Coach of the Year honor for the first time in her six seasons on West Chester's bench. It marked the sixth straight season that Bellaver led her squad to the postseason and fifth straight campaign in which the Golden Rams have won at least 20 matches.

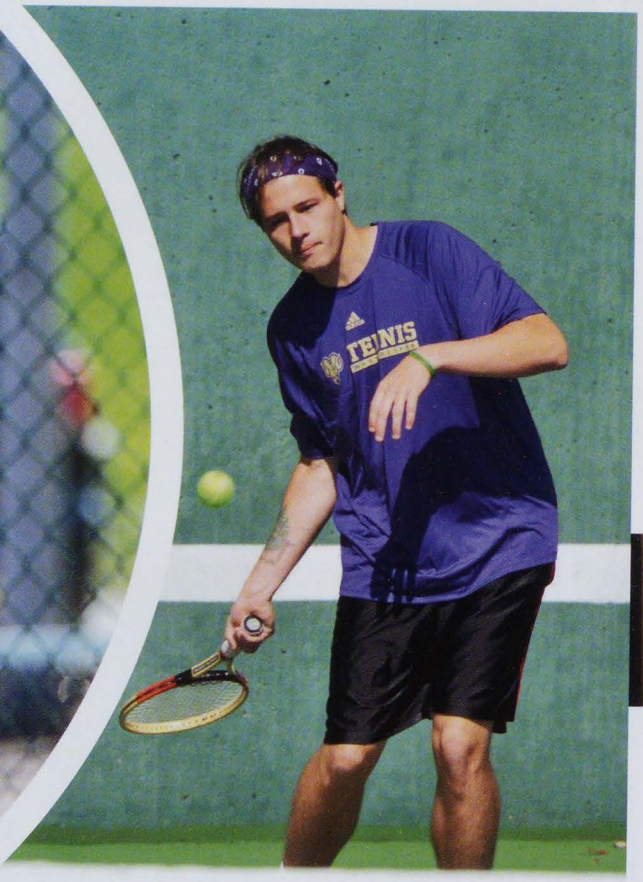


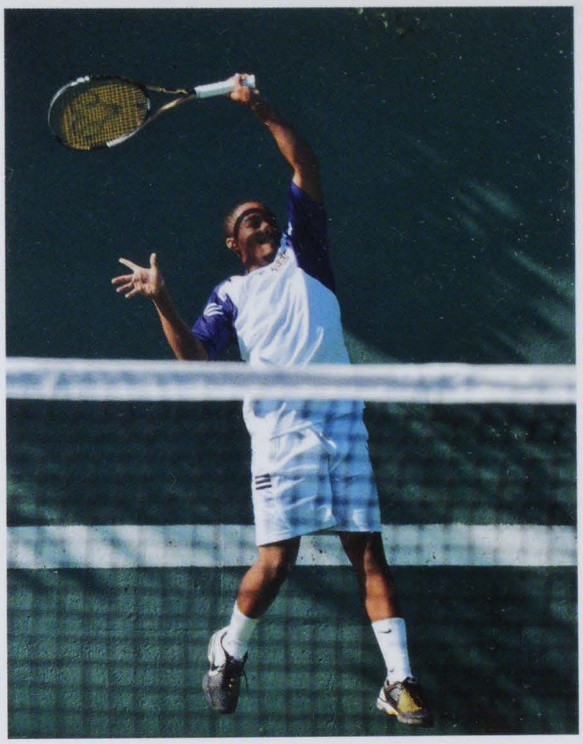


MEN'S Tennis



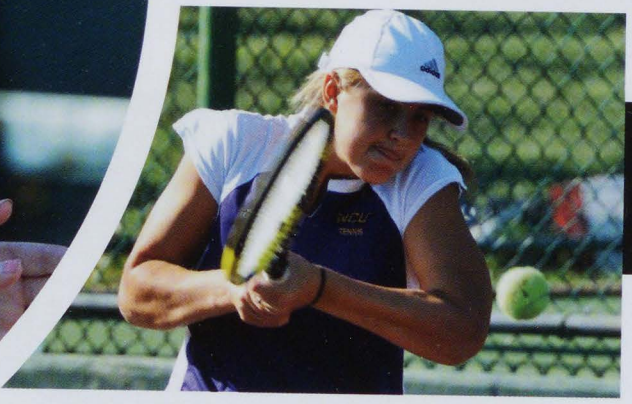






Between September and October, the team took on St. Thomas Aquinas, Post, Mercyhurst, Edinboro, and Chestnut Hill. David Goldenberg and Steve Hlava contributed four wins to the team's overall ten for doubles. Doubles partners Jimmy Aridas and Joseph Cooke also had three wins, while Connor Dunn and Brandon Oyama had two, and Michael Ensor and Steve Hlava finished the season with one. In the spring semester, the team took on Ohio Wesleyan, Salem State, Tiffin, and Roosevelt College in Hilton Head, South Carolina, then UDC, Kutztown, Gloucester, Bloomfield, Lincoln, and Ursinus to name a few. Though facing several losses, the team also brought West Chester several wins, and represented the University well!

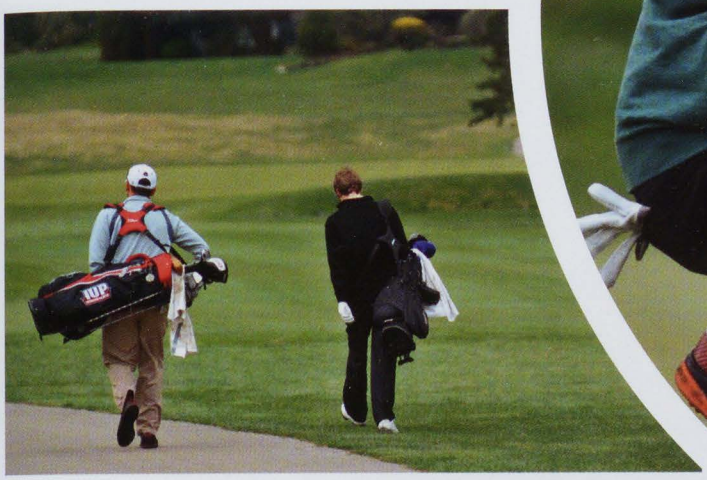
WOMEN'S
Tennis

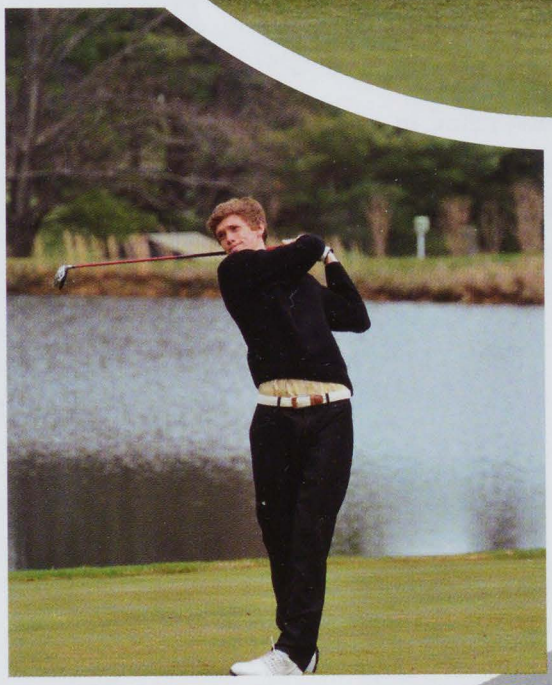


Beginning the 2011-2012 season, the West Chester University women's tennis team took on Post, Mercyhurst, Edinboro, Chestnut Hill, and Gwynedd-Mercy for a total of three wins and two losses. Continuing in the spring semester, the team took on Limestone, North Central Texas, and Roosevelt College in Hilton Head, South Carolina, then came back to compete against UDC, Philadelphia University, Kutztown, Bloomsburg, and Cheyney, to mention a few. In April, the team participated in the PSAC tournament at Bloomsburg. The men's and women's tennis coach, Tina Tharp, received the 2011 USTA/ITA Sectional Campus & Community Outreach Award for getting the tennis teams involved in USTA Campus Kids Day. WCU players, including Coach Tharp, participated in a pair of special needs tennis clinics as well. Players also volunteered to teach at a clinic for underserved participants in the Rodney Street Tennis & Tutoring Program during the winter and early spring months last season. The women's tennis squad participated in the National Women's & Girls in Sports Day initiative, which is very popular on college campuses.

MEN'S Golf

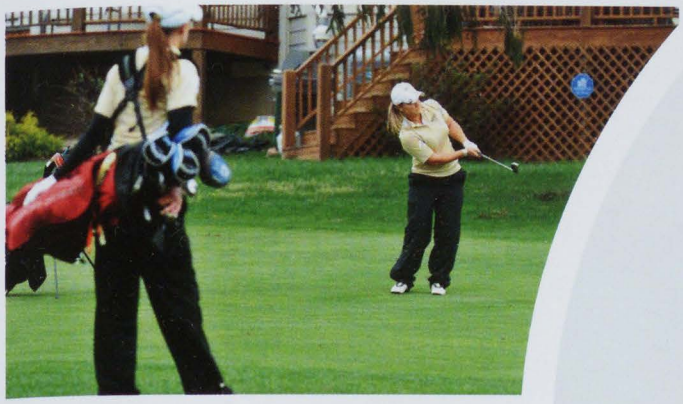
In the fall season, the men's team placed second at the Burger King/Ohio Valley Invitational. They continued doing well throughout the season, placing first at the Gannon Fall Invitational and third at the PSAC Championships. Beginning the spring season, the team placed tenth out of sixteen teams at the St. James Invitational in Southport, South Carolina. The men followed this with scoring eighth place on the first day and sixth place on the second day at the Cecil Spadafora Invitational, and fifth place at the Dr. Edwin B. Cottrell Invitational. In their final game of the season, the Rams placed eleventh at the Gannon Invitational. The team's determination and focus throughout the season was admirable, and the team will surely continue to improve through the years.





WOMEN'S Golf

Beginning the 2011-2012 season, the West Chester University Women's Golf Squad placed thirteenth at the Michael Corbett Fall Classic at the Peak 'N Peak Upper Course. The women had a successful fall season, scoring third at the Clarion Fall Invitational, second at the Kutztown Invitational, and fifth at the PSAC Championships. In the spring season, the women placed twelvth at the Dana Rader Intercollegiate Classic. Throughout the spring season, the women continued to improve and consecutively placed in second at the Kutztown Spring Invitational, the Dr. Edwin Cottrell Invitational, and the WCU vs. Navy game. In their last game of the season, the women placed third at the Gannon Invitational and finished the year off strong. The team's talent and commitment helped them to turn in their best performance of the year with a season-low 330 round.



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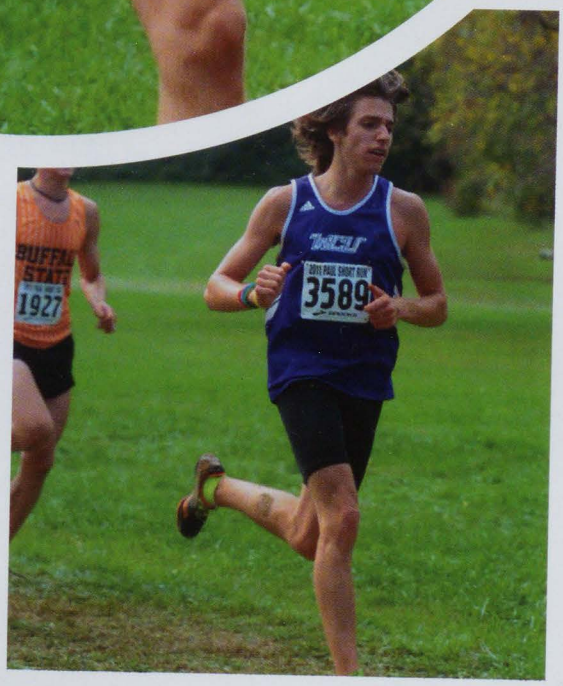
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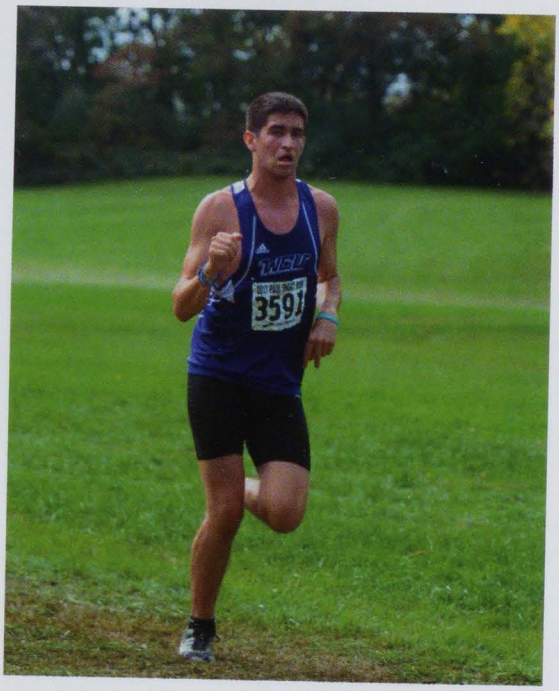
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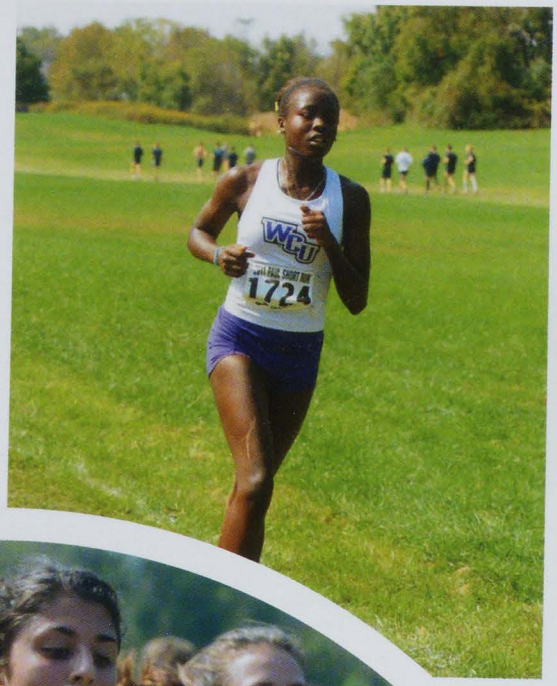
MEN'S Cross Country

The men's cross country team of West Chester University had a challenging season, with a small team of only 11 runners. The men were able to take 8th place overall in the first run of the season. Freshman Zach Musselman showed promise with a time of 19:49. Junior Sean Sebeck followed him with 20:06.7. Their team had an eventful day at Lehigh University during the Paul Short Invitational Run. Junior Jake Perry ran a time of 27:35, which was the best time ever ran on that course by a West Chester University student. Musselman finished with an unofficial time of 28:05. Unfortunately for him his time did not register on account of his shoe falling off during the race. The team took 19th place at that event. Later in the season Musselman placed 19th at the Delaware Invitational with a time of 28:11.65. Although the team had a small number of runners they had a good season. They placed in 5th and 6th at Lock Haven and Kutztown. The men were inspiring with their perseverance.

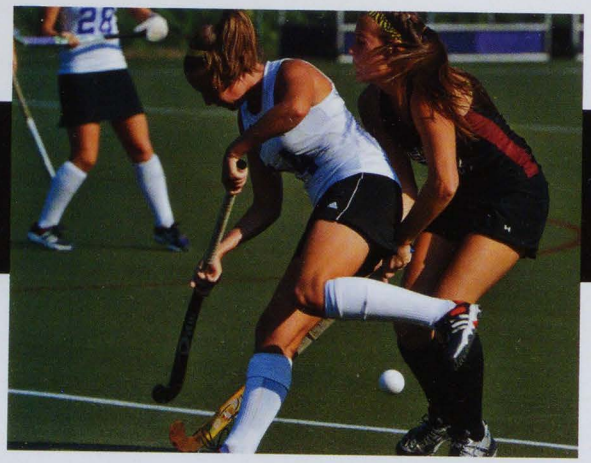
WOMEN'S Cross Country

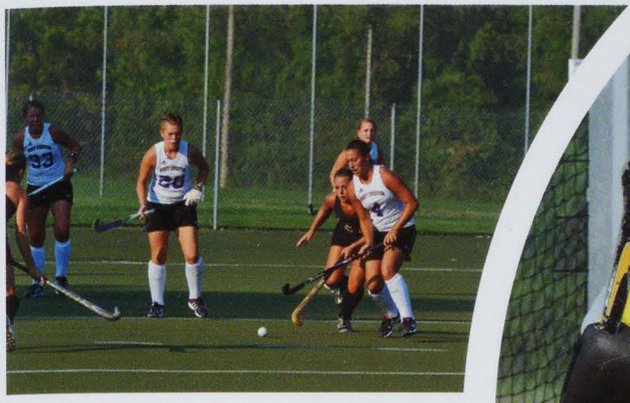


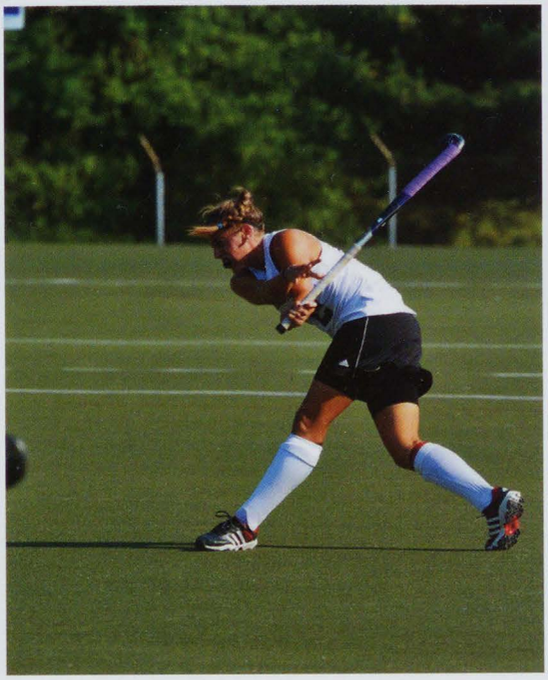
West Chester University's women's cross country team had an eventful season. They had a rocky first half of the season in their run at Lehigh University. Throughout the season their runners improved and they placed higher in the competitions. At the Delaware Invitational our team fought hard to take first place. Junior Kristina Koutsouros made quite an impression this season. On September 9th the PSAC named her the women's cross country athlete of the week. Senior Kathleen Casey also contributed to the team by placing 4th, 5th, and 6th in the first three runs of the season. She helped WCU place in 9th on October 22nd. During NCAA East Regionals on November 5th West Chester University had to brave the course without Kristina Koutsouros. The team proved themselves when Kathleen Casey was able to lead WCU into 15th place. With the tough leaders of our women's cross country team, we will be sure to see even greater achievements next season.

WOMEN'S Field Hockey

With a score of 14 - 4, the women's field hockey team headed off for the NCAA tournament. In the first round they defeated Shippensburg with a score of 3 - 0. They were also triumphant in the semifinals against Bloomsburg. In the final round, the team once again faced Bloomsburg and came out on top. Thus the team ended a victorious season by becoming national champions. In addition to Bloomsburg the team played against many other universities such as Millersville, Kutztown, and Shippensburg. The team's 24 players were coached by Amy Cohen, Pattie Gillern, and Carly Campana. Senior Brynn Adams definitely had a memorable season this year. On October 24th she was named the PSAC East athlete of the week. It was also announced that she is NFHCA Division II National Player of the Year. Those honors did not surprise anyone, considering the effort she had put in during this season. With 4 winning game goals and 6 assists, she left other teams wondering what had hit them. Congratulations on your success, Golden Rams!







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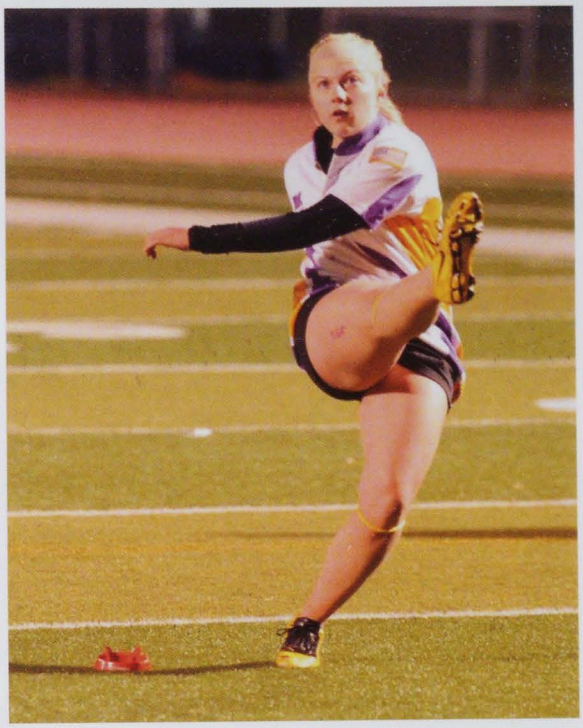
MEN'S & WOMEN'S Swimming & Diving

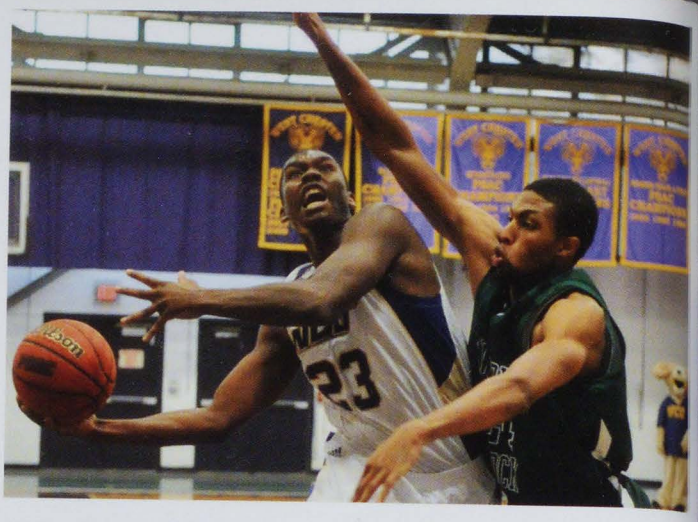
The men's and women's swim team had a successful season. During the 2012 PSAC Swimming Championships in Mechanicsburg, Pa. Codyanne Murtaugh, a freshman, competed in the 500 freestyle and placed in first with a time of 5:00:29. At the championship, the men's 800-yard freestyle relay team took first place with a time of 6:49:05. Sophomore Bogdan Grebenyuk, captured the conference title in the 100 breaststroke field. In a meet against Southern Connecticut State University, both the men and women came out victorious. First place winners included senior Leah Varvaro for the 200-yard freestyle and sophomore Megan Winslow in the 200 backstroke. The two teammates both participated in the 400 medley relay and the team again placed in first. Junior Calvin Startosta won the 200 backstroke, and sophomore Ryan Stahley won the 50 free. Other winners of the meet were the men's 400 medley relay team, Tommy Rhoads, and Jared Haley. As for the diving team, they also had a good season. Senior Ryan Kuser won the meet at the University of Delaware with a score that left others in the dust. He had a score of 325.6 in the 1 meter competion. Nobody else had a score above 300. Juniors Kelsey Tennent and Michelle Murphy took fifth and sixth place in their competitions.

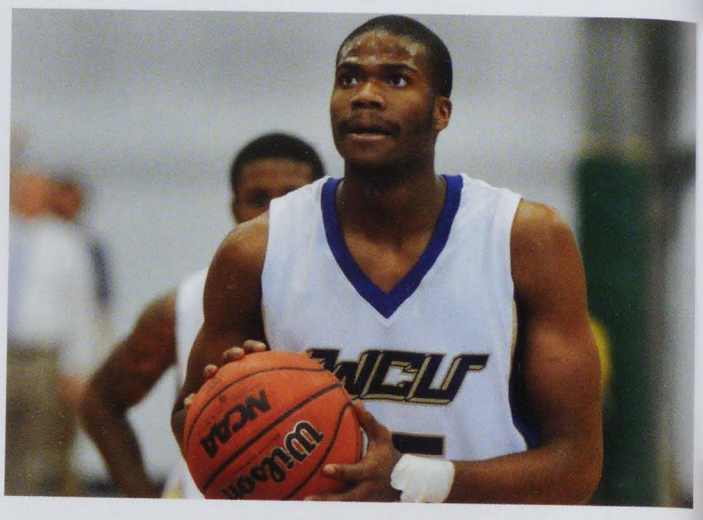


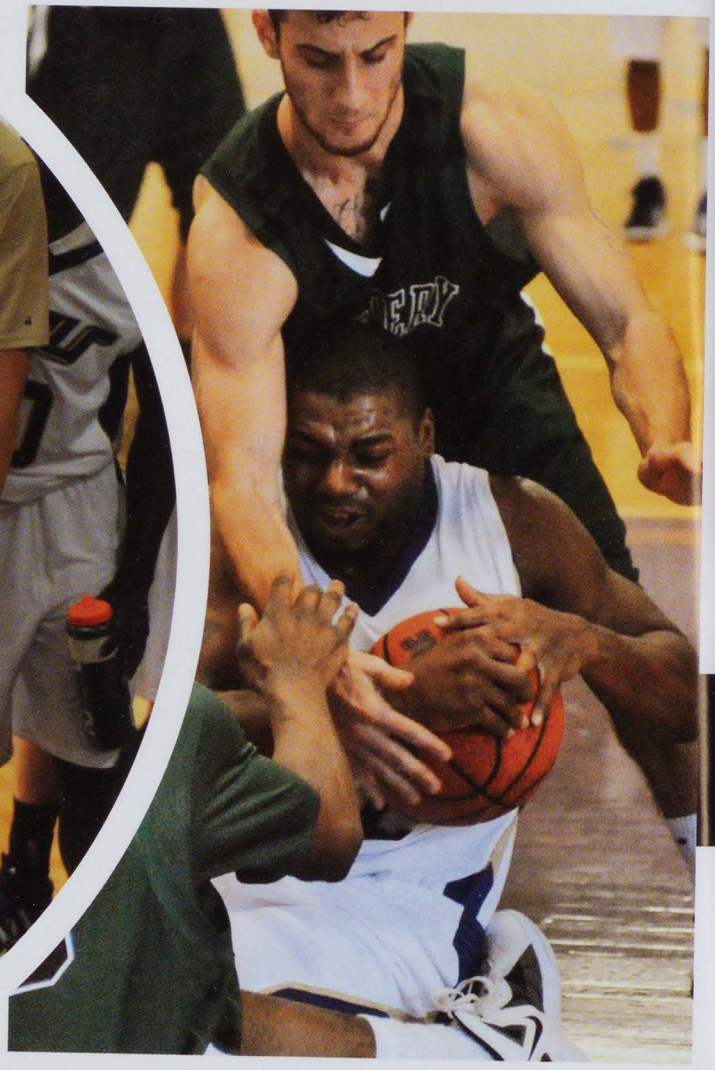
WOMEN'S Rugby

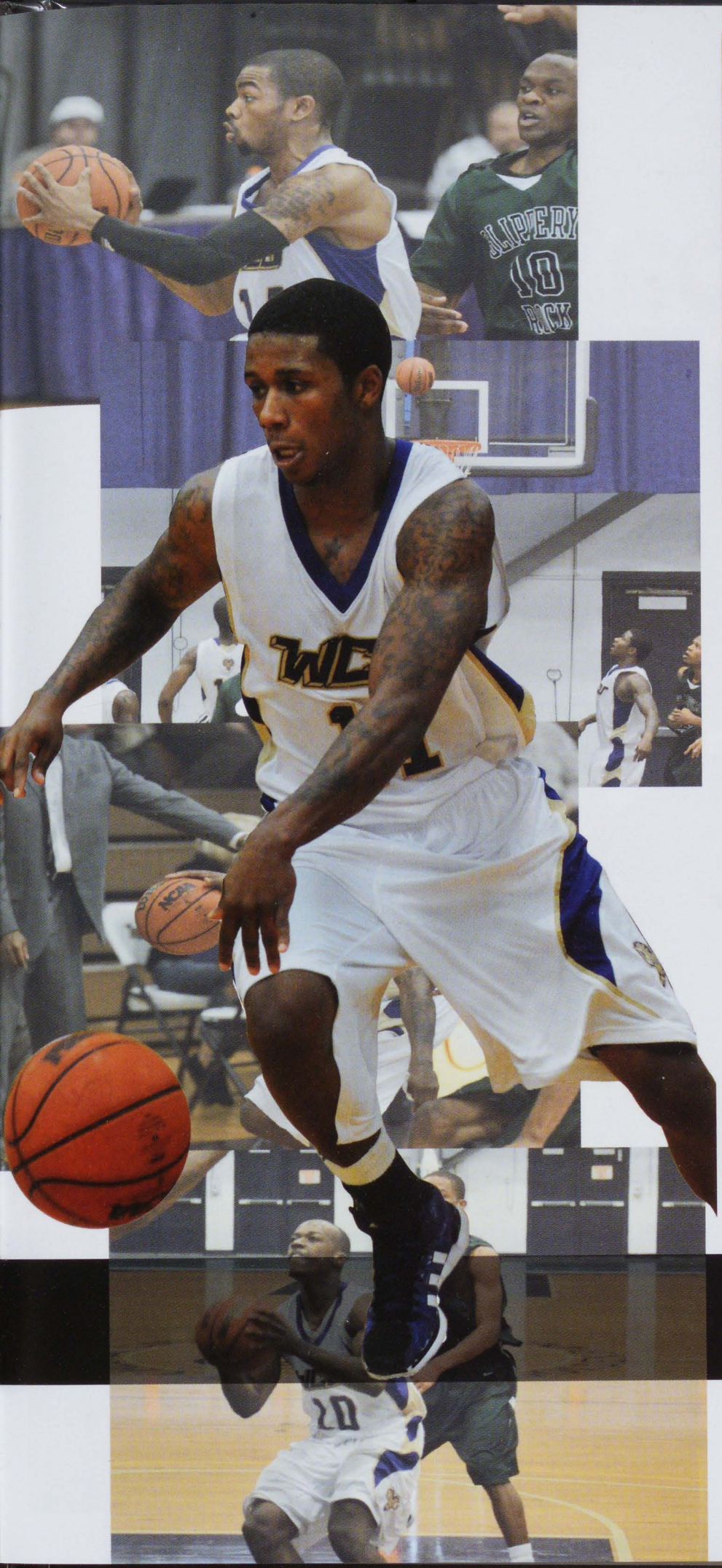
The WCU women's rugby team achieved their first win in the opening game of the season against Maryland with a score of 61-0. They continued their winning streak by defeating the universities of James Madison, Delaware, and Shippensburg. After multiple games of the EPRU Division 1 Tournament were postponed, WCU won against Quinnipiac and Rutgers, tied against Navy, and unfortunately lost to Penn State and Princeton. The women continued to show an outstanding effort throughout the season with the help of head coach, Tony DeRemer.

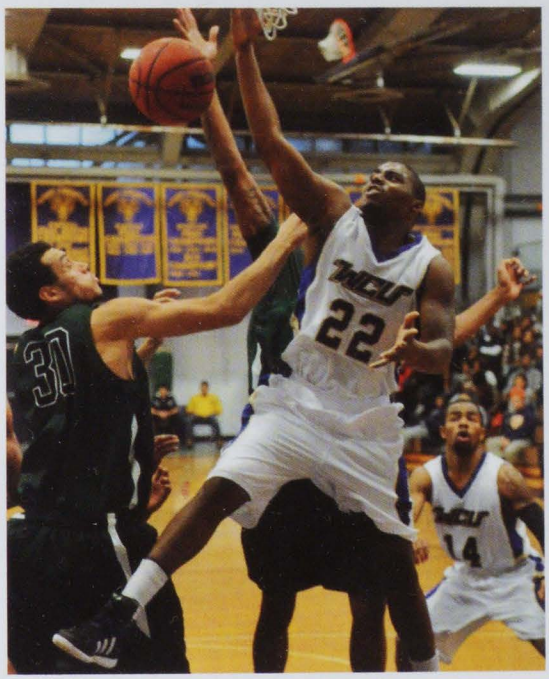
MEN'S Basketball





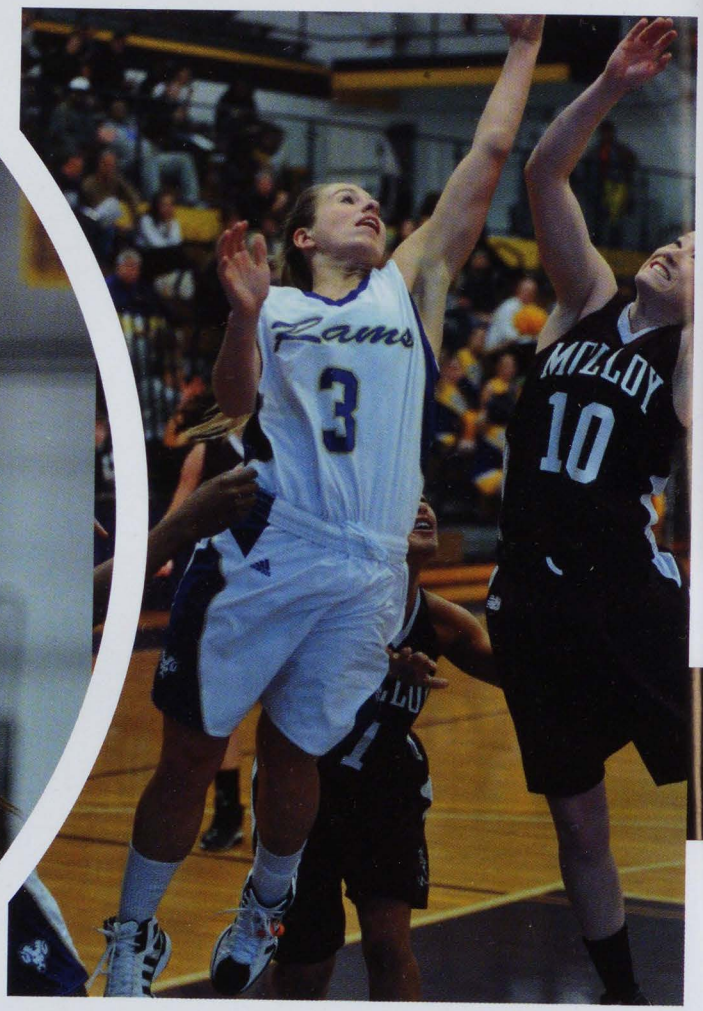


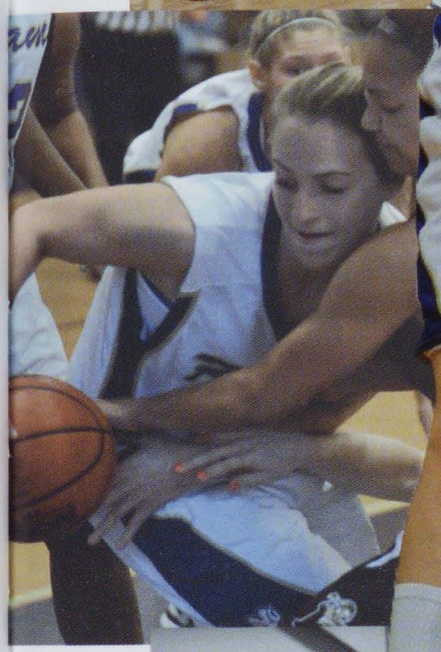


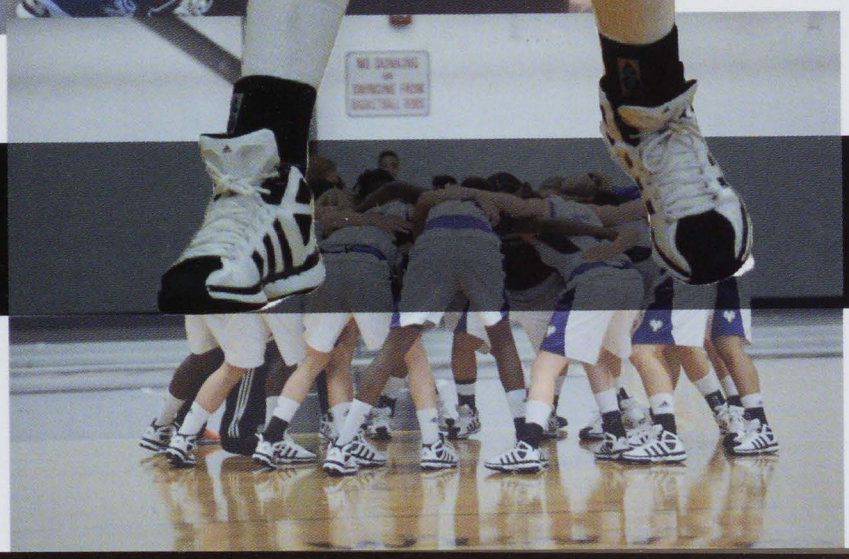


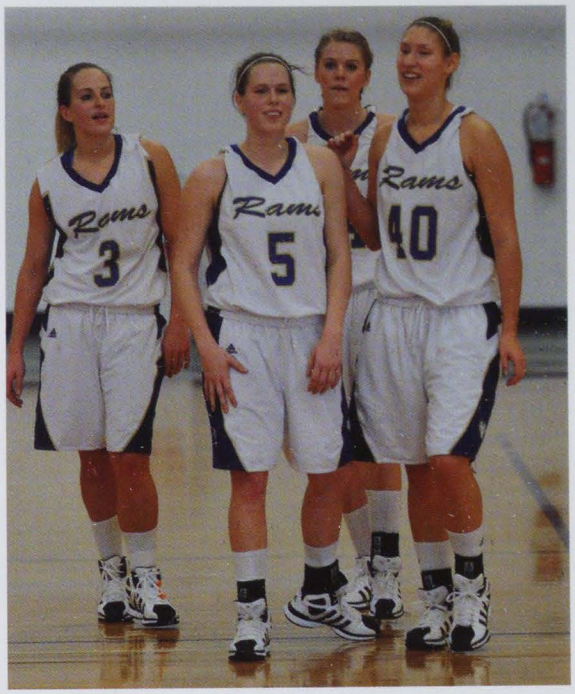
The West Chester University men's basketball team had a very successful 2011-12 season. Starting off strong in PSAC with a 14-point win against Slippery Rock, the team battled hard on the court to achieve a record of 19 wins and 10 loses. The Rams headed down the home stretch with 10 straight wins, placing them in third in the Eastern Division. The men's team upset second seeded Bloomsburg in their first quarterfinal game of the season, but fell to East Stroudsburg 90-85 in the 2012 PSAC championship game. This is the 16th time that the WCU men's basketball team has appeared at the tournament. Freshman Corey Blake was named the PSAC Eastern Division Athlete of the Week, and senior center Lance McDowell was given the same recognition twice this season. Junior John Breeden and senior Lance McDowell were each named to the 2012 All-PSAC East team. The men finished the season with a strong team and a great regular season behind them.

WOMEN'S Basketball



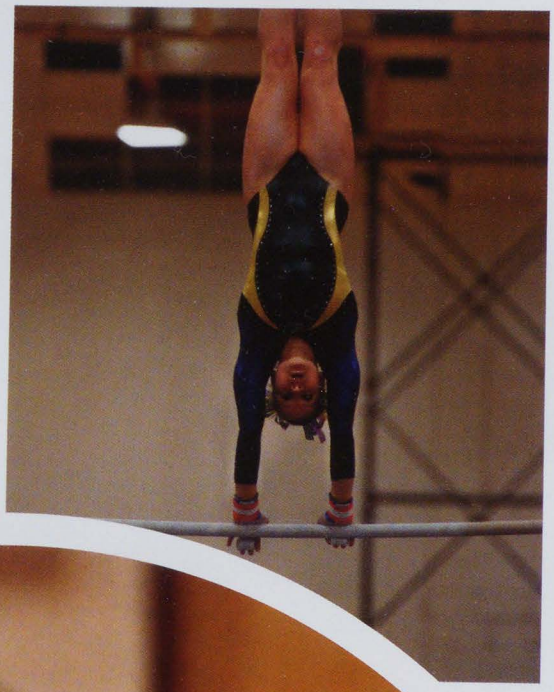


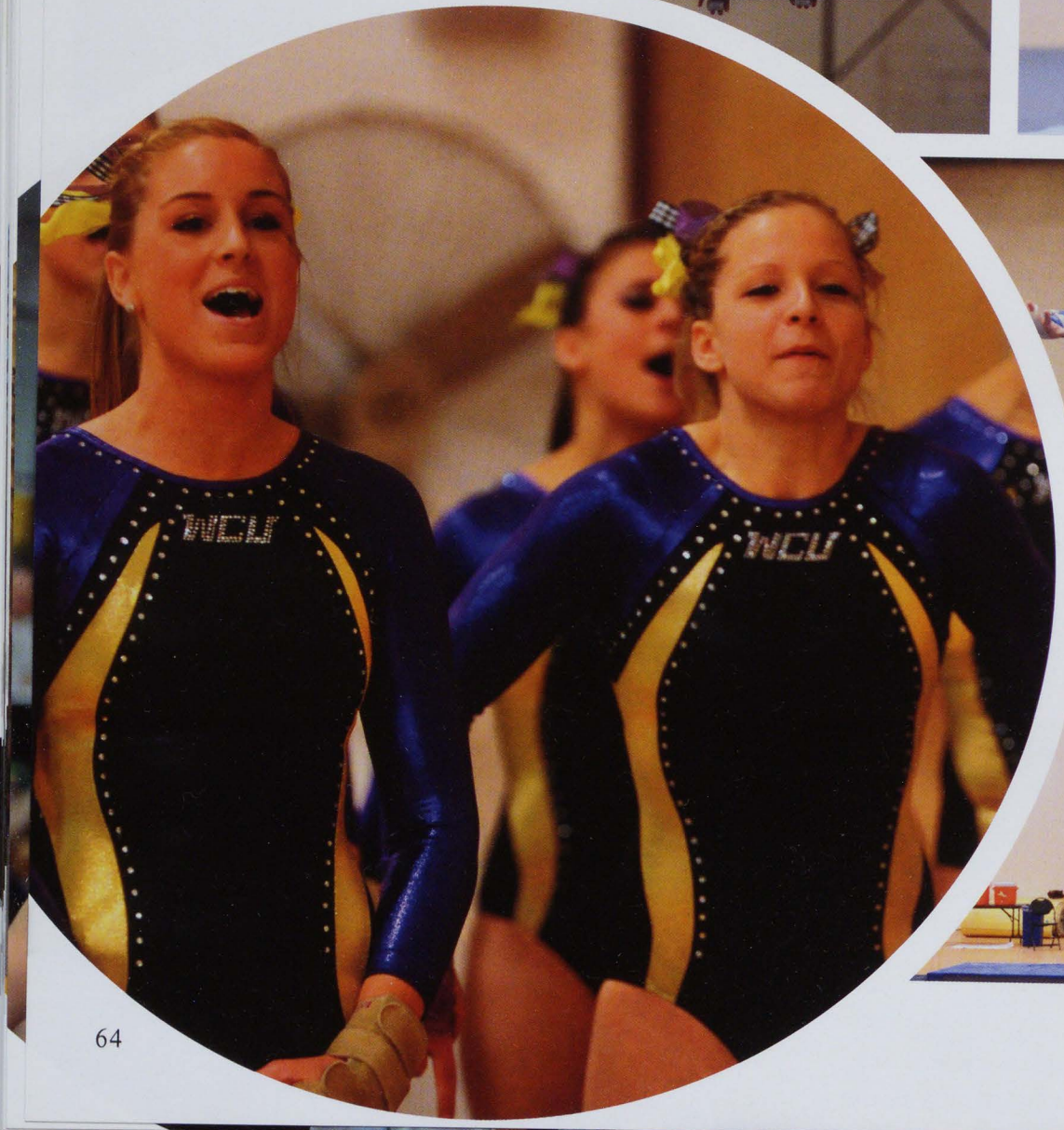




The Lady Rams had a great basketball season this year! Starting off their regular season with five consecutive wins, the team showed how dedicated they were to making this season a sure success. They put a lot of hard work forward and outplayed every team that they met on the court. Junior center Alexandra Lennon was a PSAC Eastern Division Athlete of the Week, and senior guard Allison Hostetter was also given the same recognition two weeks in a row for her excellent performance during the games. Hostetter became the 16th player in WCU history to net 1,000 career points in a game against California, PA. Both players landed on the 2012 PSAC all-league squad, and Lennon was also named the conference's defensive player of the year. Junior Meghan Kerrigan was named the recipient of the PSAC Champion Scholar Award, and head coach Deirdre Kane took home her third PSAC East coach of the year award. Congratulations to the hardworking Lady Rams on their excellent season!

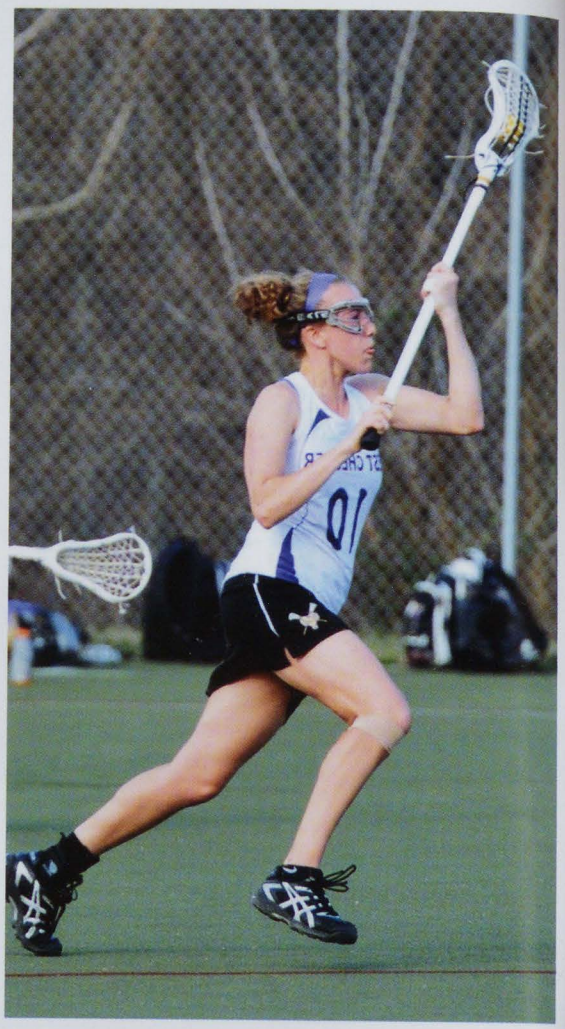
WOMEN'S Gymnastics

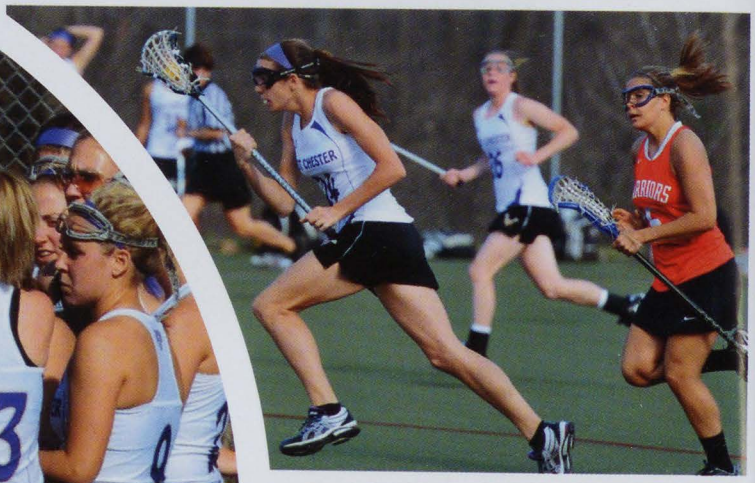


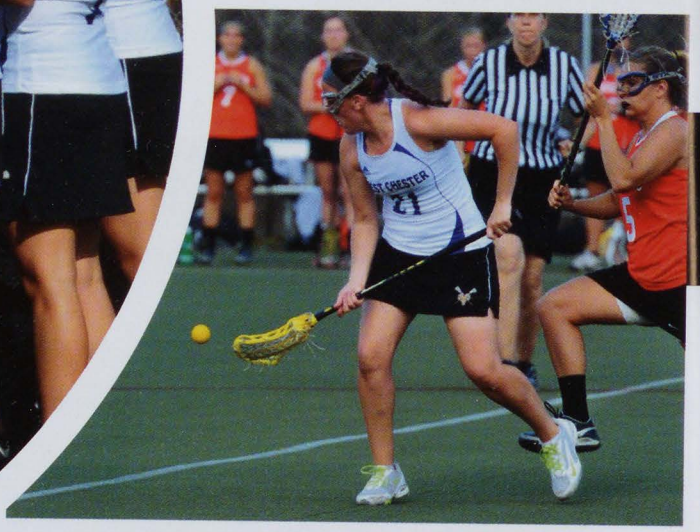


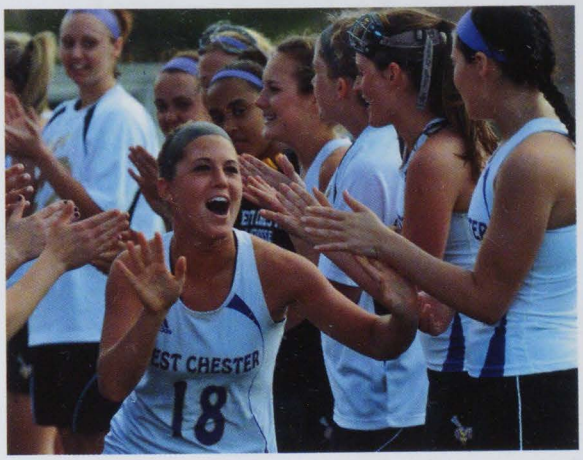
West Chester University's dynamic women's gymnastics team consists of nineteen competitive students. ECAC named freshman Lauren Bilenki Division II Rookie Gymnast of the Week. Freshman Stephanie Schuler also made an impression on the judges at Temple University and Ursinus College. She was able to earn a score of 38.325 in the all-around competition. During the same week, junior Melissa Voskian beat WCU's vault record with a score of 47.9. Both Voskian and Schuler were vital to helping the team break the record team score, setting it to 189.775. This year's gymnastics team was definitely a star team. Senior Alli Aquila and junior Kaley LaFleur were each announced as ECAC Specialist of the Week at least once this season. LaFleur had an average of 9.613 that ranked sixth in the nation. Even while they were busy competing, the team got involved in the community and was able to help Unite for HER by raising more than $740 during a meet against SUNY-Cortland.

WOMEN'S Lacrosse

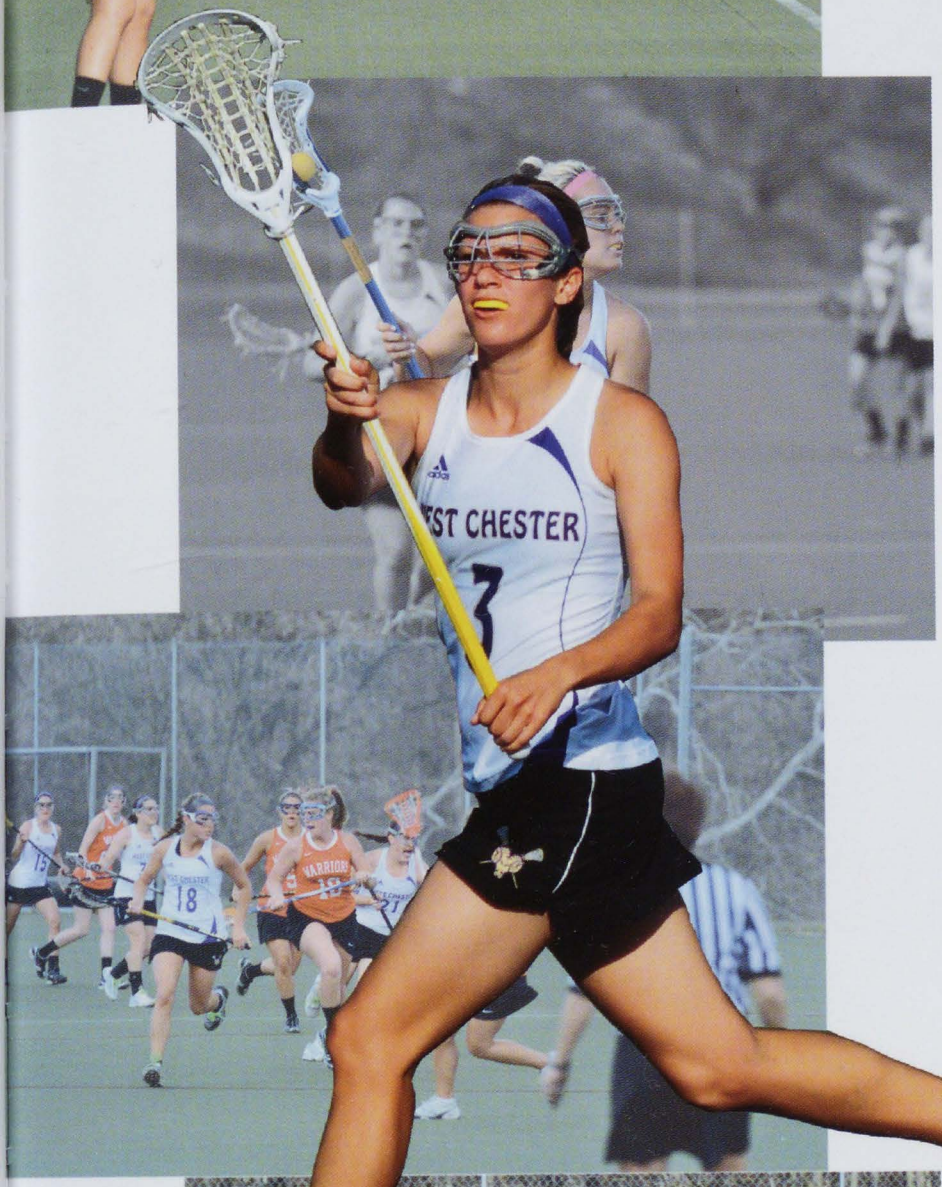


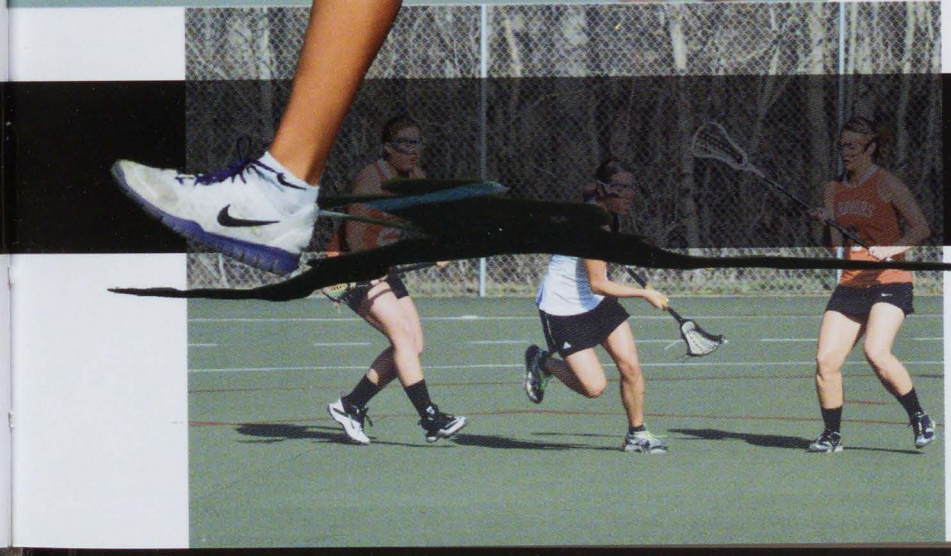






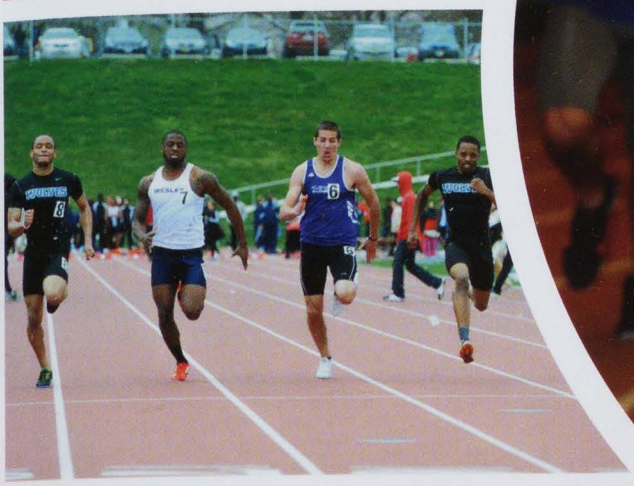
The WCU women's lacrosse team started the season strong, defeating Holy Family 16-4 in the 2012 season opener. The team continued to improve within the first seven games of the season, winning six out of those seven games. The team's head coach, Ginny Martino, and the assistant coach, Sue Burmester, showed continuous support to the women and helped them grow as a team. Midfielder Jamie Dolan, a junior, was named the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference athlete of the week in the first weekly awards this spring. Throughout the season, the team played against schools such as East Stroudsburg, Millersville, Slippery Rock, Kutztown, and many more.

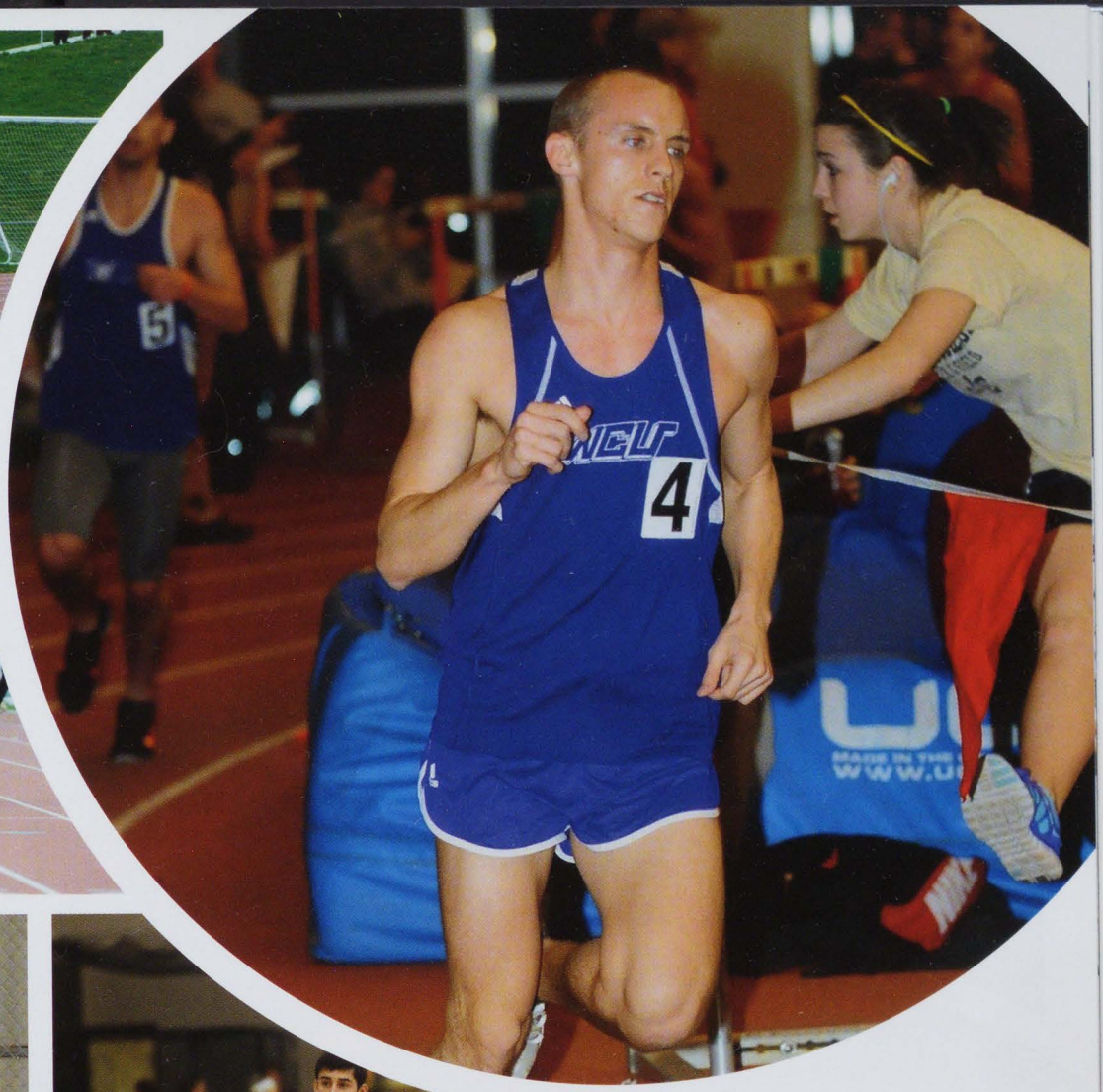




MEN'S Track & Field

The men's team had a great year in all of their events. Their winter season included competing in many events, such as the Collegeville Classic and the DeSchriver Invitational. Five of the Golden Rams qualified for PSAC at the DeSchriver Invitational. The Rams attended the PSAC Indoor Championships and finished off their indoor season placing 10th overall. In their outdoor season, the team started off strong and were able to pick up four first place ribbons in the outdoor season opener. Brian Pellechia and Dillon Wallner each qualified for the PSAC Outdoor Championships in the hammer throw at the Danny Curran Invitational held at Widener University. Nick Drozd, Curran Kneebone and Jake Perry also qualified for the championships for the 400m hurdles, 10,000m, and 800m respectively, at the Metrics & Combined Events Challenge. The men also picked up four first-place ribbons, all in the field events at the Golden Rams Collegiate. 2012 was a very successful year for the talented men on the track and field squad!





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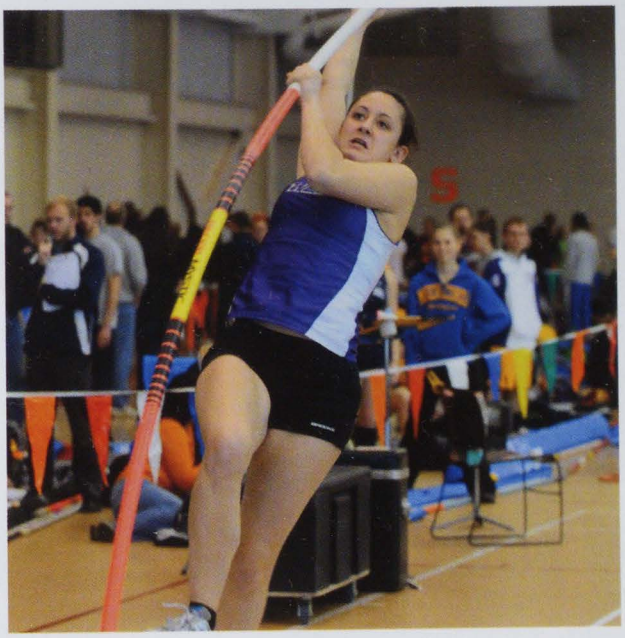
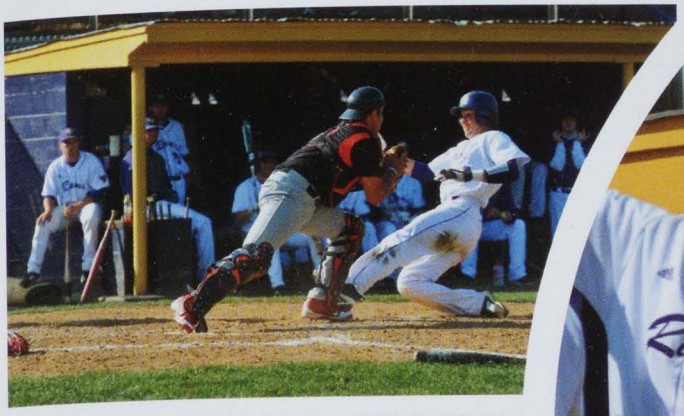


Placing 8th overall at the PSAC Track & Field Outdoor Championships, the WCU Women's Track & Field team had a great season by working hard and building off of their success of their indoor season. The team started off at the indoor season opener with Melanie Ruff qualifying for the 60 meter dash and Nicole Smith qualifying for the 800 meter. Their success continued with more team members qualifying for events in the invitational following the opener. The team started the outdoor season with promise, winning in multiple events at the season opener. At the Danny Curran Invitational, Amanda Hughes qualified for the 2012 PSAC Outdoor Championships in both the javelin and the discus, and Nicole Smith and Kathleen Casey each qualified in the 800-meter. The ladies won six different events at the All-American Meet at East Stroudsburg University. They completed their regular-season outdoor track & field slate hosting the WCU Open at John A. Farrell Stadium.

Baseball

The Golden Rams strike again! West Chester University's baseball team started off their season strong with a winning streak of five games. The streak was broken with a close game against the University of Minnesota-Duluth where the score was four to five. After the loss, the men started another fantastic winning streak that lasted even longer than the first one. They won against universities such as Immaculata, Mansfield, and Slippery Rock. The baseball team consisted of twenty-nine star players. Senior Joe Wendle received the honor of being named hitter of the week by two conferences: the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference and the Eastern College Athletic Conference. Senior Josh Heyne fiercely hit two home runs in a game against Mansfield, which certainly helped the team continue on its winning streak for twenty games.



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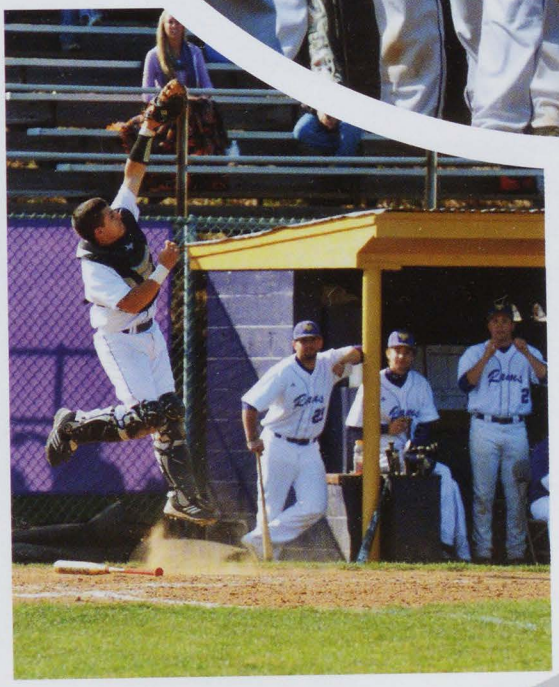

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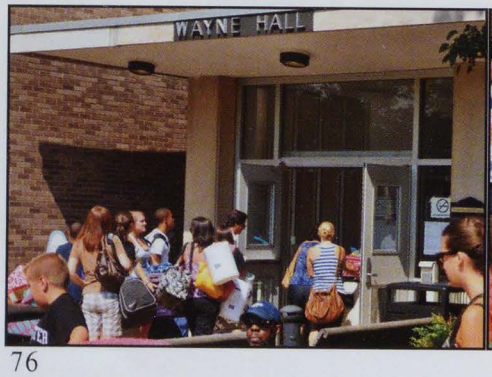
Softball

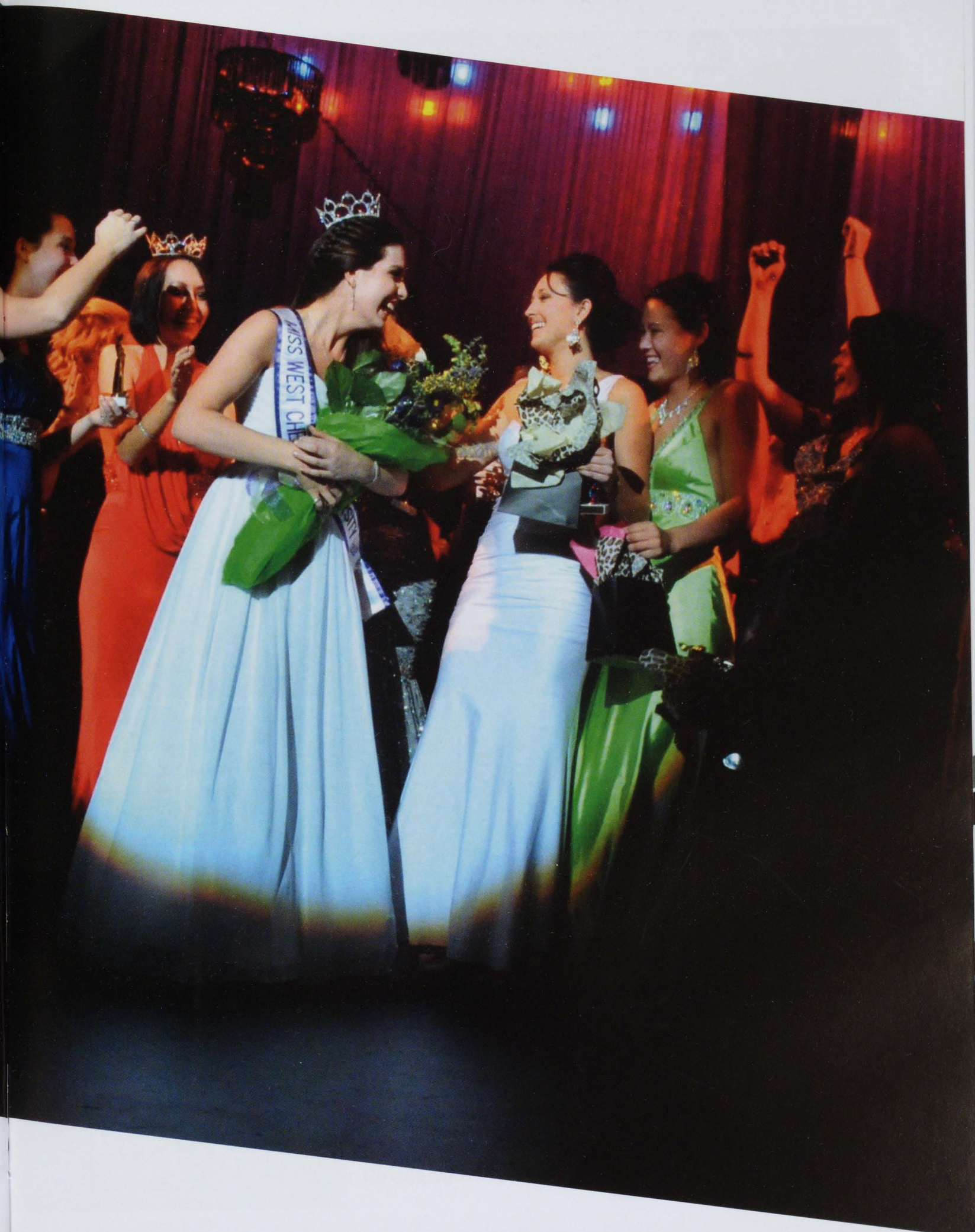
The start of the season for the women's softball team at West Chester University was full of promise. They won two games against Chowan University, and throughout the rest of the season, the women had numerous wins as well as some losses. They especially shined in a game against St. Michael's College with a score of 18 to 0. In addition, in two consecutive games against Lincoln University, they were able to prevent their competition from scoring any points. This year's softball team definitely had its share of outstanding players. By mid-March, senior Nicole Cruts received the Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference's athlete of the week award. Sophomore Kelly Anderson showed a large amount of talent and promise with a batting average of .463. The PSAC shared the same thought when they awarded her with the honor of being athlete of the week the week after Cruts held the title.

EVENTS

CREATING THE COLLEGE EXPERIENCE

Every hardworking student deserves a break from studying at the library and cramming all night before a test. West Chester University hosts annual fun-filled events such as Banana Day and the Big Sean concert for students to get out of their dorms, meet new friends, and have a great time. However, WCU students strive for more than just fun. Events such as the Pink Zone basketball game, the Walk for Frederick Douglass, and Relay for Life raise funds for important causes. With every new class of freshmen, West Chester sends out seniors who have worked, grown, and had fun together by creating their own college experience.

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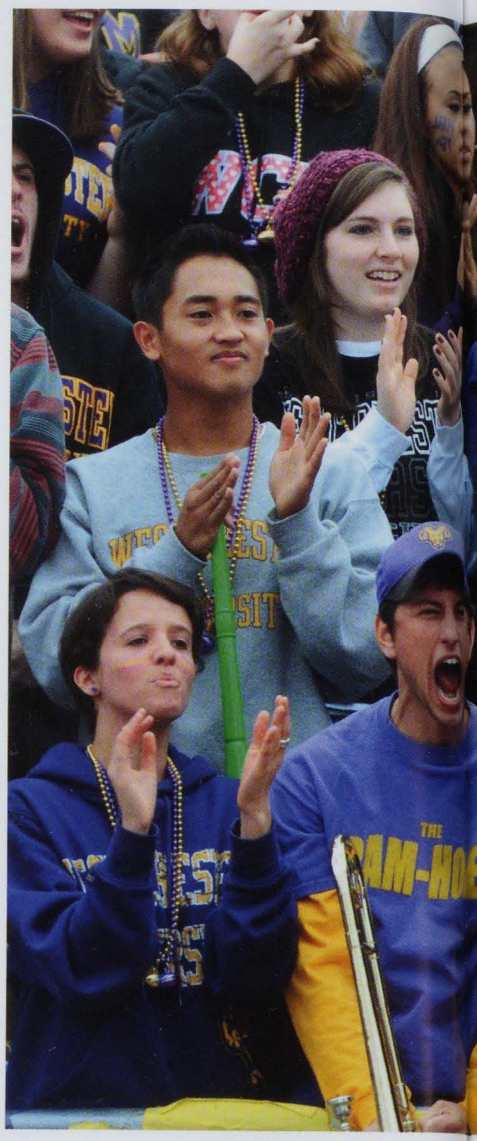
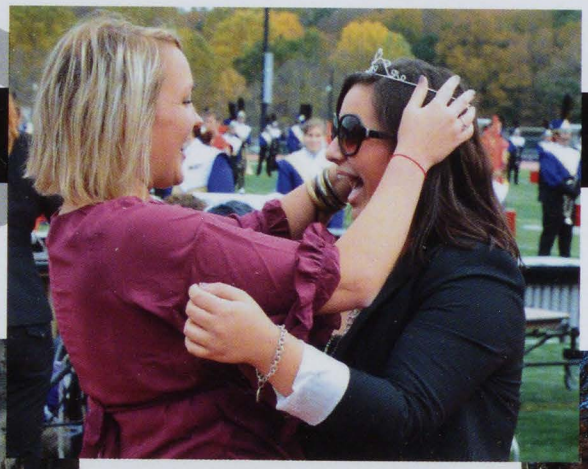
Top Left: Delta Phi Epsilon shows their school spirit as they march down Rosedale Avenue.
Top Right: Competing against other organizations, this sorority dances in front of Sykes Student Union for judges and spectators.
Bottom Left: The WCU marching band plays while parading by the spectators.
Bottom Right: This group gets ready to blow the crowd away with their performance.



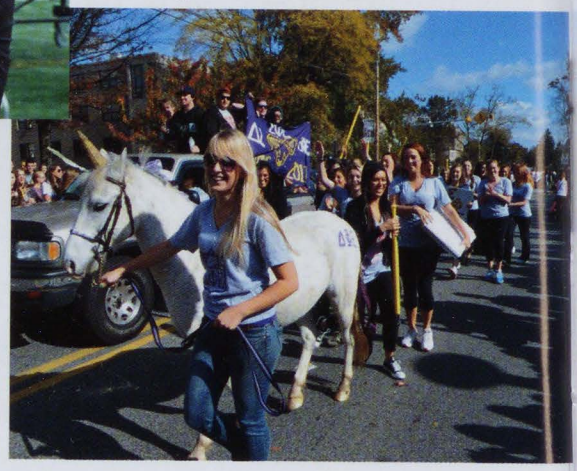
Above: The student section of the Farrell Stadium was packed with roaring students cheering for their Golden Rams.

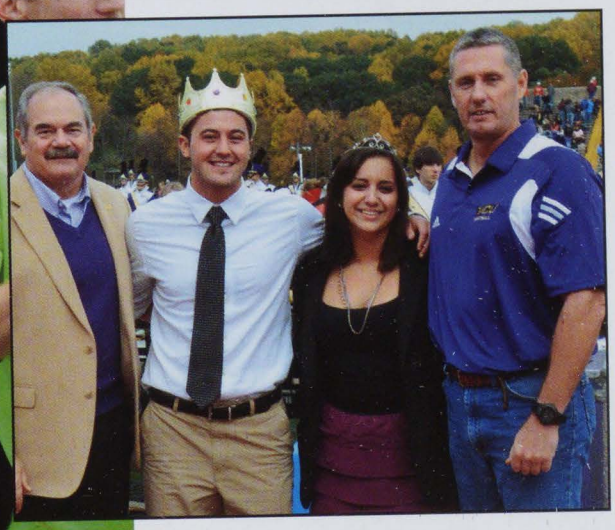
Top Right: The cheerleaders perform their routine as audience members cheer along.

Bottom Right: The homecoming king and queen were announced during halftime of the football game.



Left: The WCU Ram leads the incomparable marching band through the homecoming parade.
Top: Last year's homecoming queen crowns the 2011 homecoming queen on the field of the Farrell Stadium.
Right: This "unicorn" was a hit at the parade.

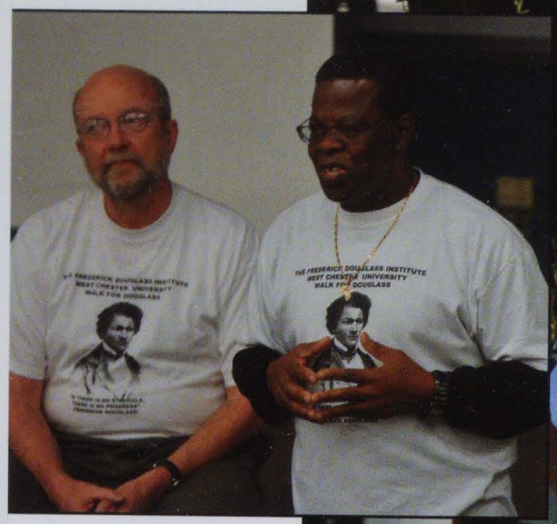


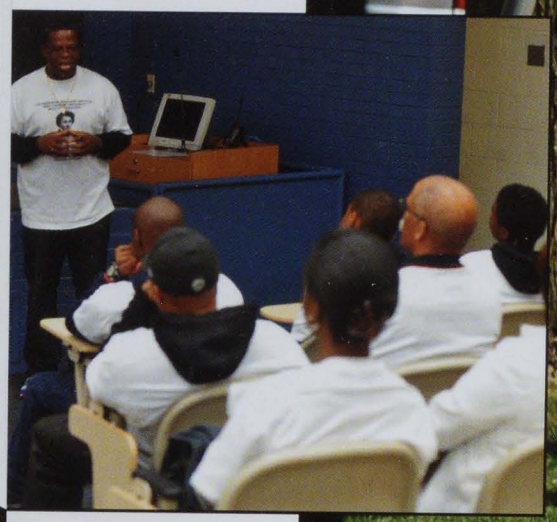


HOMECOMING

Students show school spirit

West Chester University's homecoming weekend was full of traditional festivities. Saturday morning started off with many people lined down Rosedale Avenue to watch the parade. After preparing bright and early, band members, homecoming court nominees, and students from all organizations marched through for the crowd to see. Each organization had prepared a dance routine, which was performed right in front of Sykes Student Union. These organizations competed for first, second, and third place. Following the parade, students lined Farrell Stadium for the football game played against Bloomsburg. Although the team was outstanding, they fell short of the win. During the game's halftime show, the homecoming nominees were presented on the field to announce the Homecoming King and Queen. Students all over campus continued to show their school spirit and pride throughout the day.

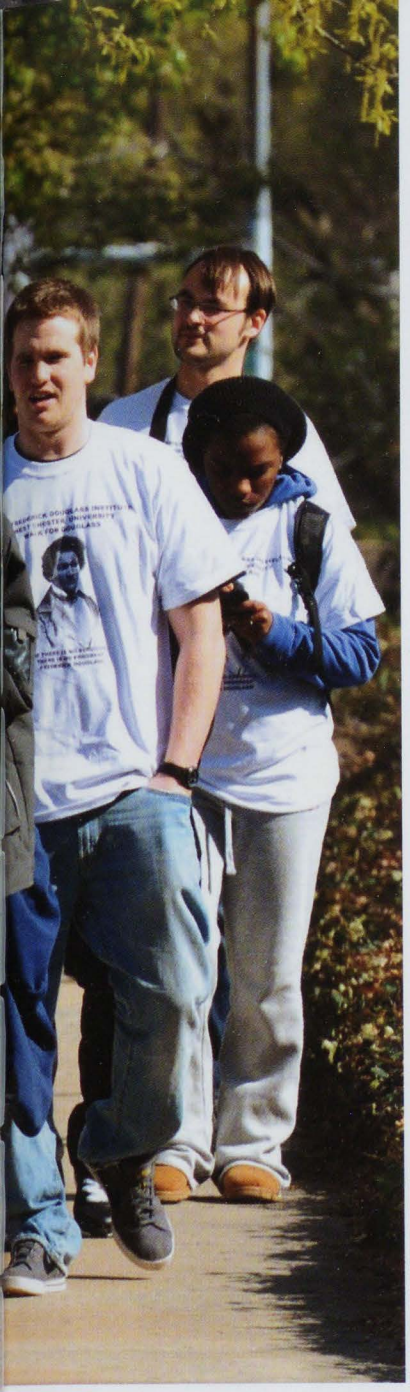


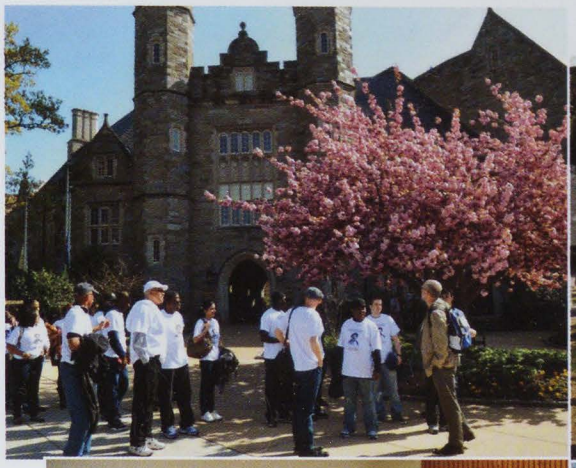


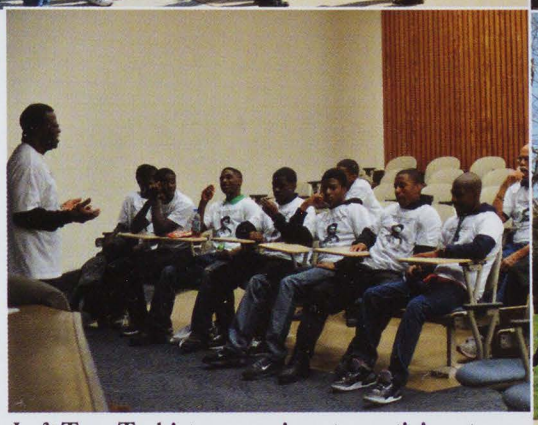
Frederick Douglass Walk

"If there is no struggle, there is no progress." - Frederick Douglass

The Walk for Frederick Douglass took place on April 13th from 3:15-5:15 p.m. This walk-a-thon was organized by the Frederick Douglass Institute to raise funds for the Frederick Douglass Statue Project. This inspiring eight-foot statue will stand amidst a garden next to the Philips Building. Prior to this walk, the campaign had reached 80% of their $200,000 goal for the monument. Student groups, faculty, and community members volunteered to reach the finish line of their goal. Registration fees were $15 for students and $30 for staff, along with any further complimentary donations. The walk-a-thon began with a brief presentation in Main Hall Auditorium by Dr. Jim Jones of Chester County's role in the Underground Railroad. From there, the one-mile walk started on S. High St to W. Rosedale Ave, continued to S. New St. to Sharpless St, and ended at the Emilie K. Asplundh Concert Hall. Participants enjoyed excercise, great weather, and helping out a great cause!







Left Top: T-shirts were given to participants as part of their registration fee.
Left Bottom: Participants listened intently to the history of Chester County's role in the Underground Railroad.
Left: Throughout the 1-mile walk, buildings and monuments were pointed out to participants.

Top Left: The walk concluded at the Asplundh Concert Hall.
Top Right: Participants enjoyed the beautiful weather and scenery on campus during their walk.
Bottom Left: Before the walk, participants listened to a presentation by Dr. Jim Jones.
Bottom Right: Partcipants walk past the Francis Harvey Green Library on Rosedale Ave.

Top: The walk-a-thon participants pose in front of the Frederick Douglass memorial sign.
Left: Participants are reminded of the purpose of their walk before they depart.

FRESHMEN MOVE-IN DAY

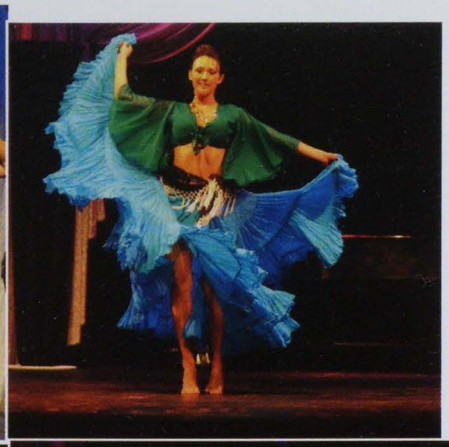
a fresh, new beginning

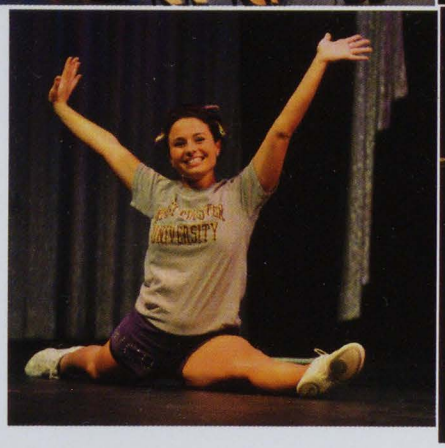
The West Chester University campus was packed with arriving freshmen waiting to be moved into their dorms. For many of these students, it was the first time they would be living on their own. On this beautiful day, security officers and student staff members provided directions to the freshmen and their families for a hassle-free move. As cars lined up, staff members brought carts to the families and helped to unload their belongings. Given ten minutes to unload, many students finished surprisingly short of that time limit. Upon arrival into their respective buildings, students received their new student ID cards, keys to their room and mailboxes, and a folder of information they would need for the start of the semester. Students then proceeded to their room, where most of them met their roommate for the first time, and began their lives as college students!

Left top: The doors were packed with the traffic of movers!
Left bottom: Each car had ten minutes to unload.
Left: Upon arrival, staff members were there to help unload cars and get the new students on their way.

Top Left: The resident assistants were scattered throughout campus answering any questions and giving directions.
Top Right: Many students packed their car(s) to full capacity with all of their belongings.
Bottom Left: Families stand by with belongings as students signed in.
Bottom Right: Staff members helped the freshman unload their things from the car.

Left: New students approach their building with carts full of belongings ready to be moved in.
Top: Many students had their younger siblings helping out with the move in!
Right: Bags of belongings were scattered throughout campus as students waited for a cart.

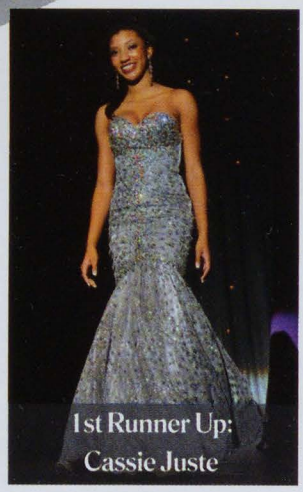




Top left: All twenty contestants performed a dance routine to open the show.
Top Right: Mosuriak performed a traditional Ukrainian gypsy dance during the talent portion of the show.
Bottom Left: Junior Danielle Gleason performed a cheerleading dance routine.
Bottom Right: Sophomore Stef Koveal's talent is playing the flute.

Above After announcing the winner, all of the contestants come together to congratulate her.
Right Top: Last year's Miss WCU crowned the winner of this year's competition.
Right Bottom: All contestants were asked a question on stage.

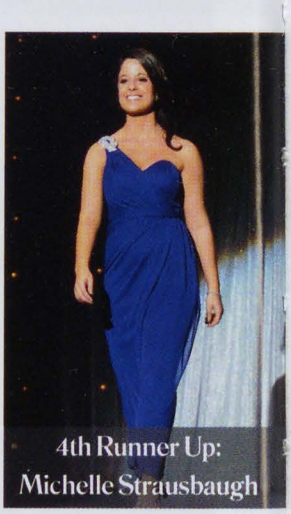
Winner:
Alexis Stinson



1st Runner Up:
Cassie Juste

2nd Runner Up:
Vika Mosuriak

3rd Runner Up:
Missi Kang

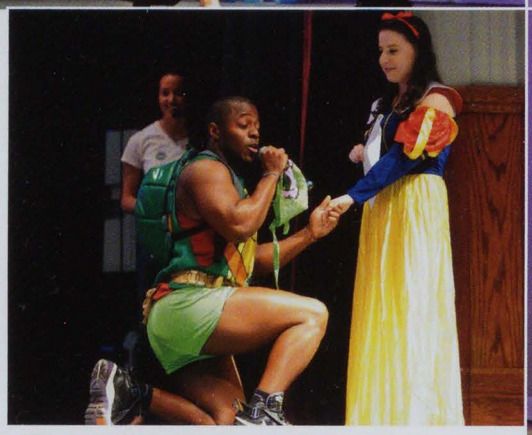


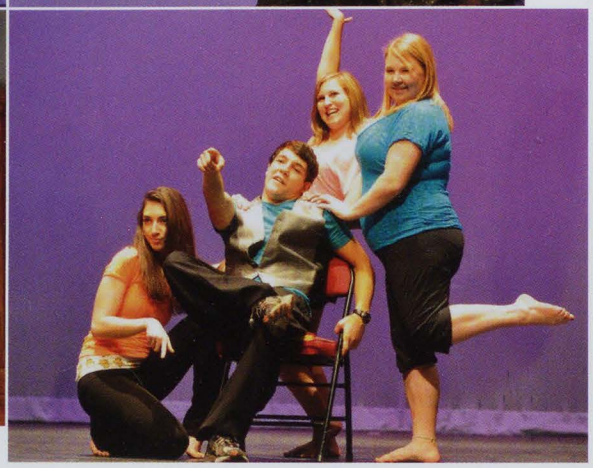
4th Runner Up:
Michelle Strausbaugh

MISS WCU

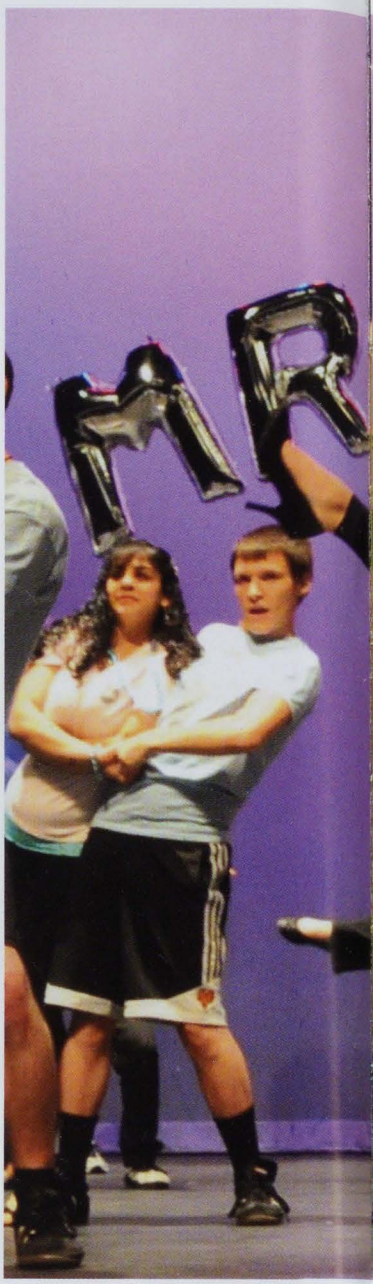
20 Women, One Crown, Endless Possibilities

Founded in the basement of Killinger Hall in 1998, the Miss WCU pageant is held to recognize the women of WCU in areas of academics, service, school spirit, talent, leadership, and interview. Women interested in being a part of the pageant fill out an application of which 20 women are chosen from. This year's pageant was held on February 4th in Asplundh Concert Hall. Prior to the pageant, the 20 chosen women are interviewed for 10 minutes so the judges can get a sense of their character. The interview is worth 40% of their total score. The women then perform as a group to open the show. Following the opening, the women are scored in the areas of casual wear, talent, evening gown, and a stage question. Five contestants are chosen out of the 20 to move on and answer one last question. This year's Miss WCU winner was junior Alexis Stinson, an honors student and pharmaceutical products development major. Her platform was Aid to South Africa, which seeks to help end the AIDS epidemic in South Africa. Stinson also played piano and sang "A Thousand Miles." Runners up were Michelle Strausbaugh in fourth, Missi Kang in third, Vika Mosuriak in second, and Cassie Juste in first. The audience's pick was Abby Lim.

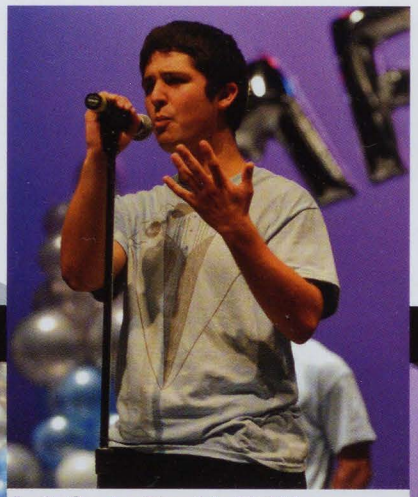


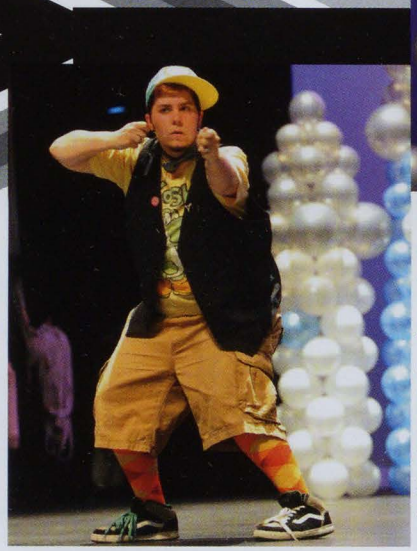


Top Left: Sophomore Christian Conway struts across the stage.
Bottom Left: Sophomore Stephen Hood sings to a woman wearing a snow white costume.
Top Right: Junior Geoffrey Quinn kisses his escort on stage.
Bottom Right: Freshman Zakkary Zabower performs with his talent assisstants.

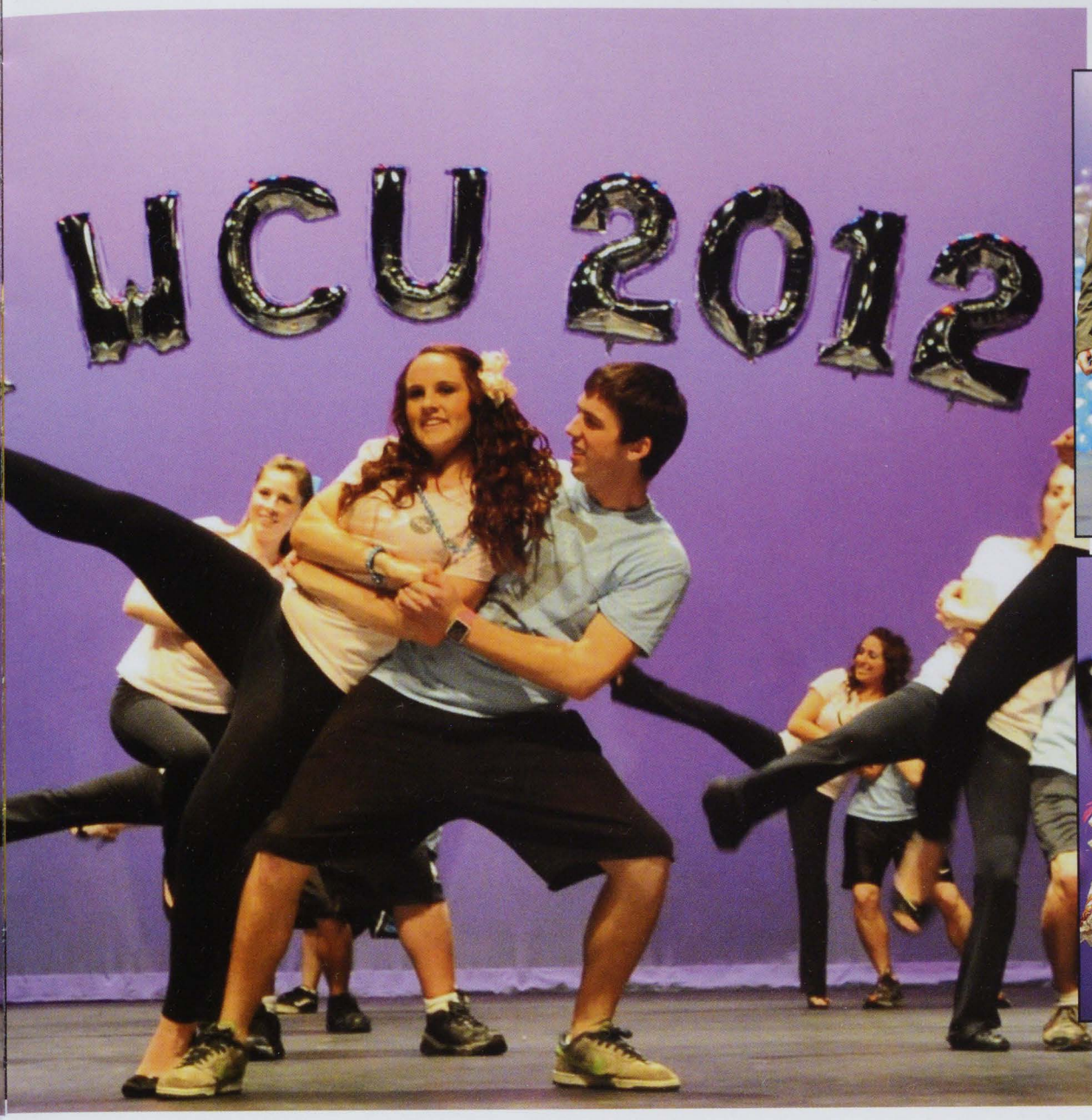


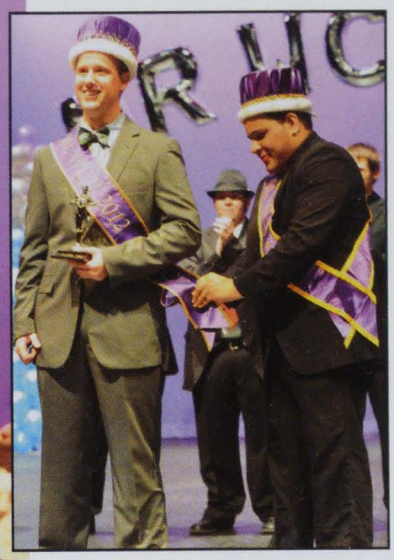
Above: The contestants open the show with a dance routine to a Disney mix.





Left: Senior Breckin DeWane dresses to impress.
Top: Sophomore Justin Sochovka speaks about his video presented during the talent portion, titled "The Road To Becoming Mr.WCU."
Right: Last year's Mr. WCU performed the routine that won him the crown.



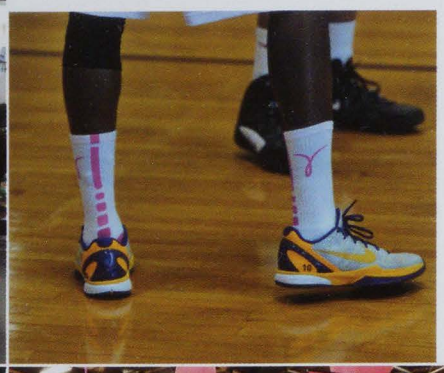


Top: This year's Mr. WCU, Chris Grimm, was crowned by the previous crown holder.
Bottom: DeWane played the trumpet for his portion of the talent competition.

MR. WCU

fifteen men compete for the crown

The fifth annual Mr. WCU was held by the Student Activities Council on March 28, 2012 at the Emilie K. Asplundh Concert Hall. This year's theme was Disney. Opening the competition, all fifteen contestants performed a dance routine to a mix of Disney theme songs, ranging from slow songs to fast paced songs. After the dance, the contestants introduced themselves and identified the platforms they were representing for the competition. Next was the casual wear portion of the competition, where each contestant was asked "If your princess were in danger, what would you do to help save her?" The talent section followed, where the participants performed to their fullest potential. Talents ranged from singing and dancing, to playing the trumpet and stand-up comedy. After a brief intermission, contestants proceeded onto the stage with an escort for the formalwear section, where they pulled a random question to be answered to their best ability. Following this section, last year's Mr. WCU, Isaih Robinson, performed his show-stopping performance once again. Finally, the top three contestants were announced (Justin Sochovka, Chris Grimm, and Geoff Quinn) and asked a question about how they would raise awareness on campus for their platform. After further discussion by the judges, Chris Grimm was crowned the 2012 Mr. WCU.

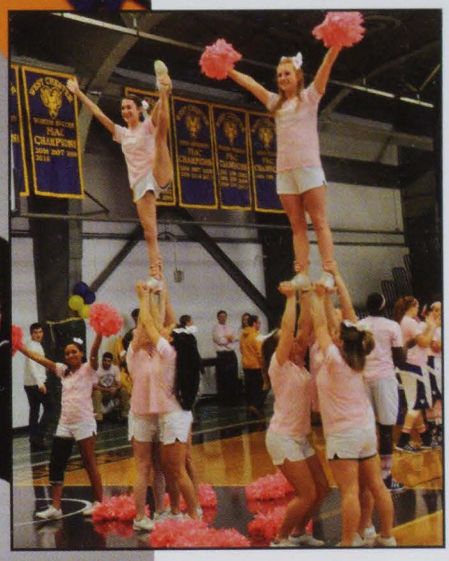


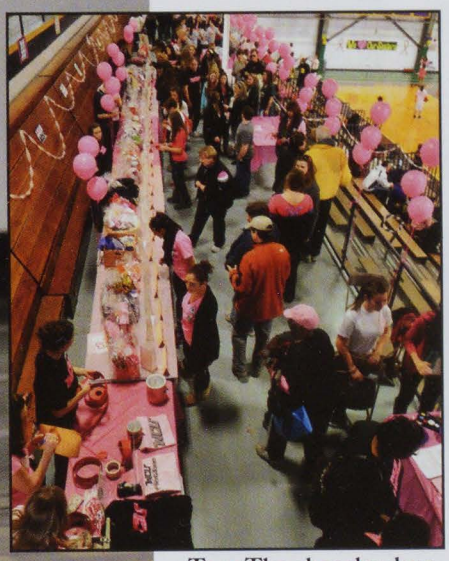
Top Left: The Graduate Student Association set up a stand along with other organizations on campus.
Top Right: The basketball players even wore socks with pink ribbons to show support.
Bottom Left: The band wore pink to support breast cancer awareness.
Bottom Right: Zeta Tau Alpha supported the cause with the pink ribbon on their t-shirts.

Below: Tickets were available to purchase for the chance to win one of the donated raffle baskets.

Above: The dance team heads onto the court to perform.

Left: Players and parents prepared food to be sold at the game.
Right: The dance team entertains the crowd.





Top: The cheerleaders perform before the game starts.
Bottom: Spectators gaze at all the stands of prizes and food.

PINK ZONE GAME

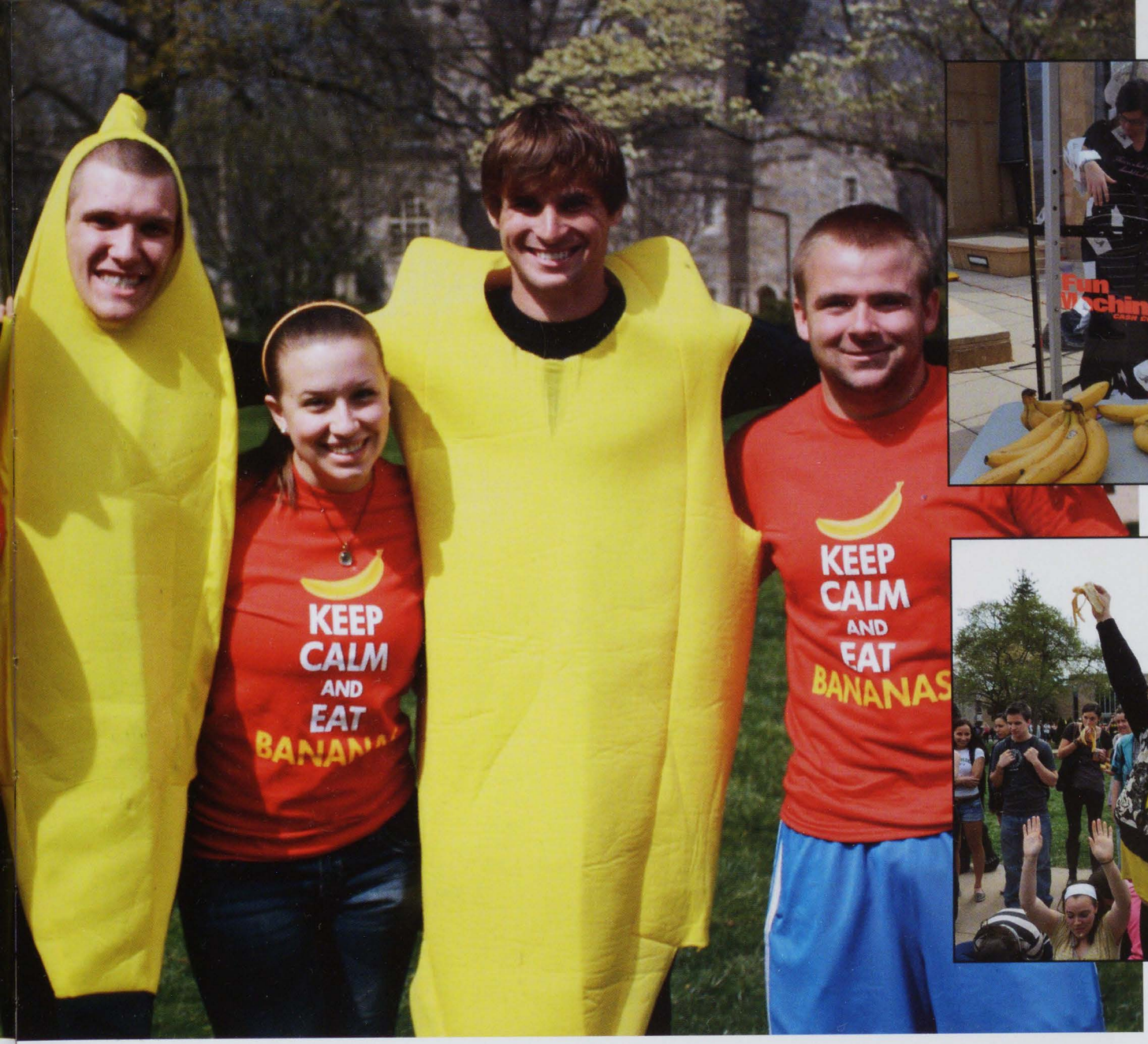
hooping for a cure

WCU held the women's basketball 'Pink Zone' game on February 18, 2012 at 1 p.m. in the Hollinger Field House. This game against East Stroudsburg University resulted in a win for our women's basketball team. But this game proved to be more than just a win for our game records. The Pink Zone game was held not only to support our Golden Rams, but in efforts to raise awareness and fight breast cancer. Any spectator wearing pink received a free raffle ticket upon arrival. The festivities started a half hour before the game. A DJ played as supporters walked through to view the displays set up by many organizations around campus. Food was prepared by the players and parents and sold at stands throughout the stadium. Spectators were also encouraged to enter to win the Amazing Basket Raffle. Baskets were donated by the WCU student groups and offices, Barnaby's, Wegmans, and the Phillies. All donations went to benefit the Kay Vow Cancer Fund. After raising nearly $7,000 during the game, the most money of any Division II institution in the country, WCU was recognized at the annual Wow For Yow dinner. The dinner was held during the NCAA Women's Final Four in Denver, Colorado. On behalf of WCU, Coach Kane accepted the gold trophy for its fund-raising efforts.

Top Left: WCUR played music throughout the event.
Top Right: Desserts made of bananas were served on campus!
Bottom Left: A blow-up obstacle course was set up in the residential quad.
Bottom Right: A banana car drove around campus on Banana Day!

Top Right: Students got to stand in a wind machine and collect papers for various prizes.
Bottom Right: Students had a blast playing the games on campus!
Right: 'KEEP CALM AND EAT BANANAS' was written on the t-shirts this year.

Top: These gorillas made everyone laugh throughout the eventful day.
Left: Students went bananas for t-shirts!
Right: Many students stood in a circle while a student in the middle spun in a circle with their eyes closed to pick a winner at random during this activity.



BANANA DAY

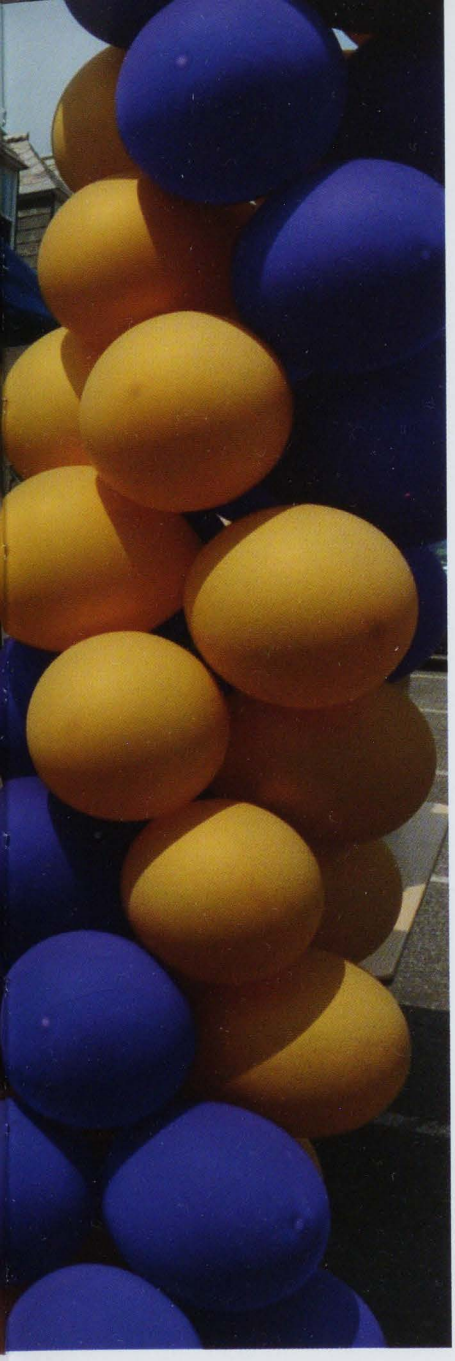
Keep Calm and Eat Bananas

Students, faculty, and staff members celebrated Banana Day on Wednesday, April 4th. This annual event continues to be full of fun for all! Students competed in various games and activities to win prizes. One prize that remains a favorite of all students is the yearly Banana Day t-shirts. This year's t-shirts were red and featured 'KEEP CALM AND EAT BANANAS' on them.

AID TO SOUTH AFRICA

WCU Helps Support A Good Cause

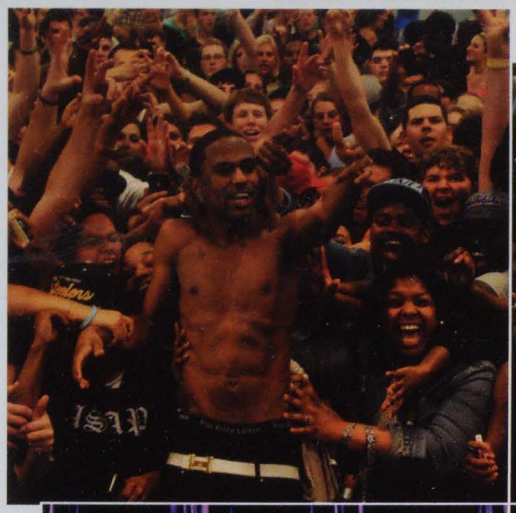
The seventh annual community fair, Aid to South Africa, was held on April 15th from 12-6 p.m. in the Hollinger Field House. The event was held by the WCU Honors Student Association. The goal of the fundraising event was to have fun while raising awareness to reduce hunger and provide comfort to AIDS victims. Many people supported the cause by walking the track or playing in the soccer tournament with teams of five. Attendees also enjoyed carnival games, crafts, food, raffle prizes, live music, and magic shows. All proceeds of the event benefit three South African organizations. One organization is the H.E.L.P. Ministries soup kitchen, which feeds about 6,000 people daily. The proceeds also benefit the Sparrow Village, which adopts, supports, and cares for HIV-positive children. The third organization is Nkosi's Haven, which provides care and support for orphans, mothers, and children infected with HIV/AIDS.

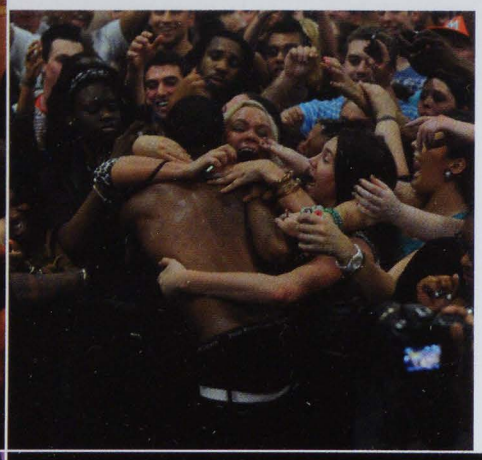


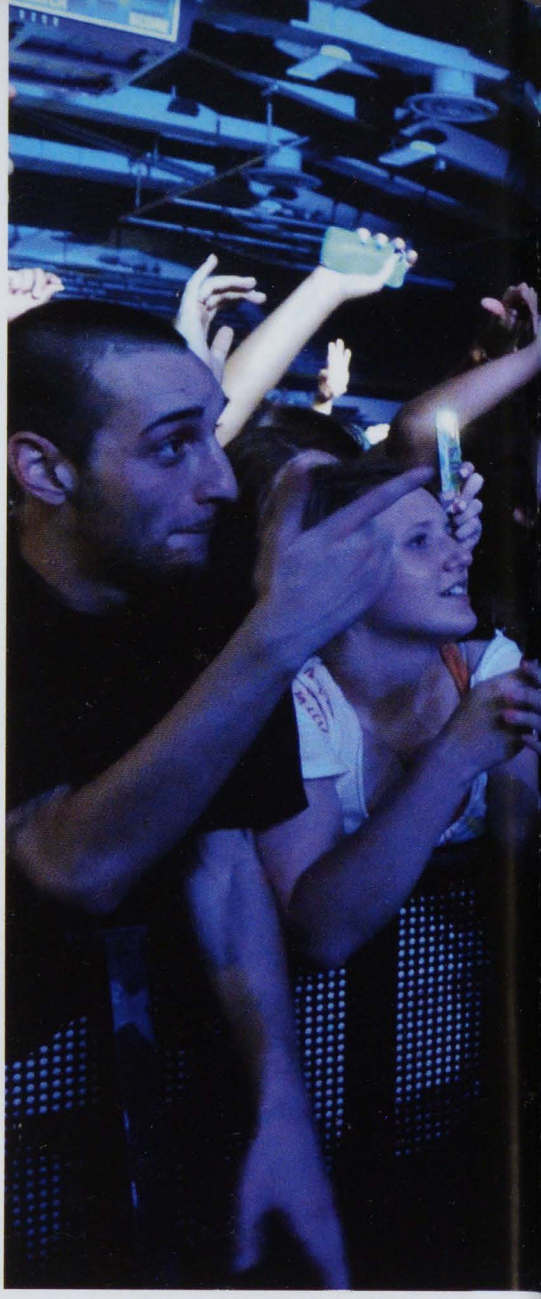
Top Left: The face-painting station was a hit with the kids!
Bottom Left: Participants had a blast playing soccer for a good cause.
Left: Outside of the Hollinger Field House, volunteers set up a registration booth for soccer teams and t-shirts.

Top Left: Miss WCU poses in the doorway of a house resembling those in an African slum.
Top Right: The soccer teams come together after the tournament.
Bottom Left: A row of pictures and facts were set up so people could see who they were helping out by participating in the event.
Bottom Right: Any vendors could pay a fee of $20 to set up a table at the event.

Top: A raffle station was set up for participants to enter to win baskets of prizes.
Left: Shoes donated for the cause were tied to the railings overlooking the stations set up in the gym.







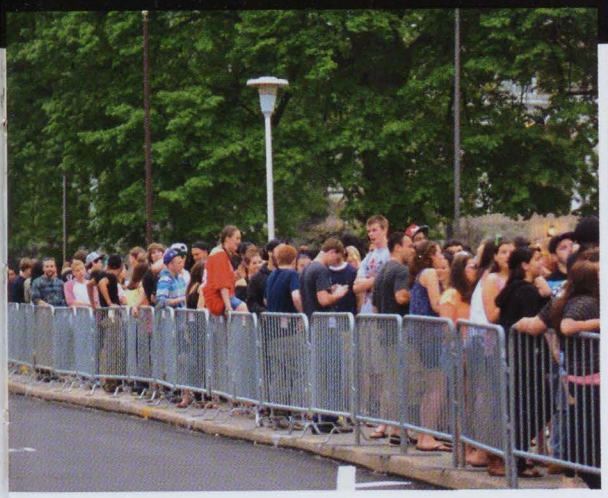
Top Left: Excited fans gather in for a picture with Big Sean.
Top Right: Fans swarmed to greet Big Sean as he came around the crowd.
Bottom Left: After The Cataracs performed, Big Sean stole the stage.
Bottom Right: Big Sean changed attire a few times throughout the show.

BIG SEAN & THE CATARACS

take the stage!

This year, Big Sean and The Cataracs performed on Thursday, April 26th in the Hollinger Field gymnasium. Tickets were $16 and students could purchase up to two of them. The Major Entertainments organization spent the entire day setting up for the artists' arrival. Students lined the outside of the gym waiting to get into the concert as the members of the organization took tickets and security guards searched the students. The gym was crowded with rowdy fans as The Cataracs took the stage. With their computer-generated beats and raps like "Bass Down Low" and "Like a G6," they got the crowd dancing. Some of their remixes included Britney Spears' "Till the World Ends" and Flo Rida's "Good Feeling." Next, Big Sean took the stage, opening with the song "My Last." Big Sean ended his show with his most well-known song, "Dance (A**)." After the show, he returned to greet the fans and take pictures with them. The concert proved to be a huge hit with the students at WCU.

Top: The crowd went crazy throughout the concert!
Top Right: The Cataracs opened the concert, while Big Sean followed with his performance.
Bottom Right: The women in the crowd went crazy as Big Sean ripped his shirt off mid-performance.



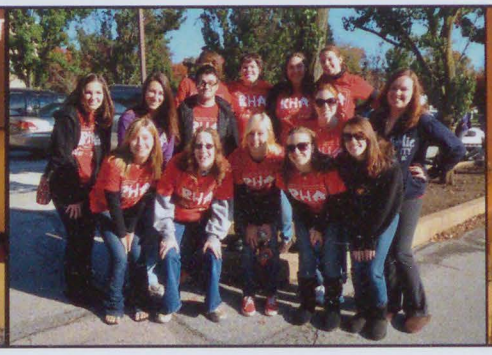
Left: Students lined up outside the gym before the concert.
Top: The Cataracs blew fans away with their computer-generated performance.

ORGANIZATI

COMING TOGETHER
GETTING INVOLVED

no matter what your interest may be, there is bound to be something for you here at west chester university, and with nearly 250 clubs and organizations on campus, it's easy to get involved. with each membership to a club or organization, you are able to acquire leadership positions, build your resume, meet new friends, network, and--most of all--be a part of something of you love. the university is proud to offer a variety of musical, media and publication, academic, and professional organizations.

It also has a collection of diverse clubs, all of which continue to bring students together.



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Pi Kappa Phi

MISSION "We will lead."

Chip Moloney, President

"Push America is our national philanthropy that supports wheelchair accessibility. This year we participated in a wheelchair basketball tournement for the Comets."

Phi Sigma Sigma

MISSION

"To inspire the personal development of each sister and perpetuate the advancement of womanhood."

Jessica McLaughlin, President

"As a social sorority, joining PSS was a great way to get involved and meet new people. This year, we participated in the Rockathon, Minute-to-win-it, and we adopted a penguin!"

Sykes Union Advisory Board

MISSION

"To develop and maintain Sykes Union as a place to enjoy social, cultural, educational, and recreational activities in a pleasant, comfortable atmosphere."

Fran Cintorrino, President

One event that UAB hosts is the Biannual Finals Late Night Breakfast, where students can come the night before finals week to de-stress, enjoy free food, music from WCUR, and have a good time.

Student Dietetic Association

MISSION

"To further the individual welfare of its members and broaden knowledge in the field of dietetics."

Jessica Serdikoff, President

"We participate in the Walk Against Hunger in Philadelphia every year because we believe in the cause and go to support it."

Sigma Alpha Iota

MISSION

"To encourage, nurture and support the art of music."

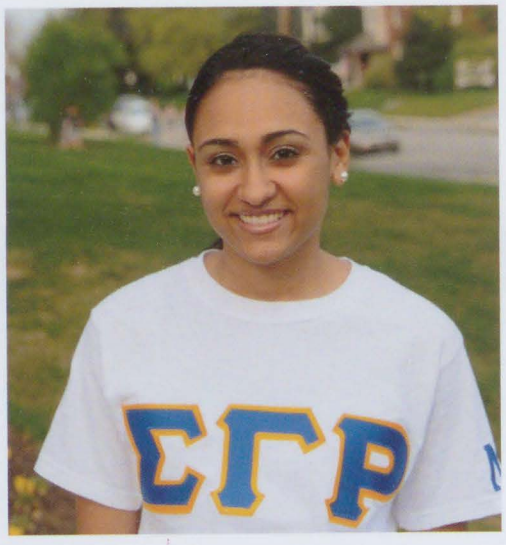
Marisa Manion, President

Epsilon Epsilon chapter has a tradition of working with local girl scout troops in the Spring to help with the acquisition of the scouts' music badges. Seventeen girl scouts joined our chapter as they learned about music around the world, created rhythm shakers, and moved with the music. Sisters also put on a musicale to showcase their musical talents.

Sigma Gamma Rho

MISSION

"To enhance the quality of life within the community through public service, leadership development, and education of youth."



Amanda Cooper, Member

"This year we participated in the Sigma Youth Symposium, a community service event for children that holds workshops on self -defense, healthy choices and healthy living, to fit the event's Healthy Generations theme."

Alpha Mu Gamma

MISSION

"Foreign language is the key to unlocking doors to other literatures and cultures."

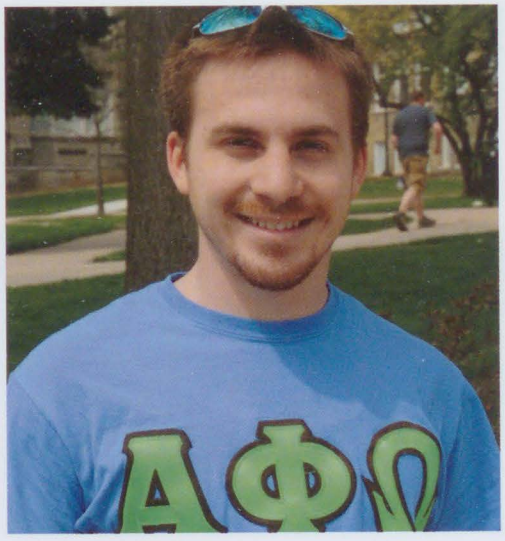
Nicholas Abrams, New Member

"I pledged because AMG contributes to the betterment of the student body, and it was a great opportunity to meet new people."

Alpha Phi Omega

MISSION

"Prepare campus and community leaders through service. Be a leader. Be a friend. Be of service."



Timothy Fariss, President

"I joined this organization because of its relaxed atmosphere. This year, we volunteered at a Boy Scout troop's First Aid Meet as "victims," to help educate the scouts on safety."

Abbé Society

MISSION

"To serve the community and form lasting bonds with their sisters. Friendship, Leadership, and Character."

Jeanine Rodilosso, President

"This year we made a trip to North Carolina in January to help Habitat for Humanity, and it is now going to be an annual event!"

Black Student Union

MISSION

"To promote activities of common interest, as well as cultural and educational benefits for the African American student body."

Charmane Martin, President

"Our organization runs the Rep Rally, the kickoff for homecoming weekend. All the teams come, we give out prizes for games and announce the nominees for homecoming court."

Forensics Team

MISSION

"To promote communicative, creative, and critical excellence through intercollegiate competitive speech and debate activities."

Alane Presswood, President

"Throughout the year we travel all over the country, and even Canada competing against a bounty of prestigious schools. For example, this year we went to Texas for the national speech and debate tournament."

Gospel Choir

MISSION

"To minister the word of God through song and to provide West Chester University and the surrounding community with an opportunity to experience this form of music."

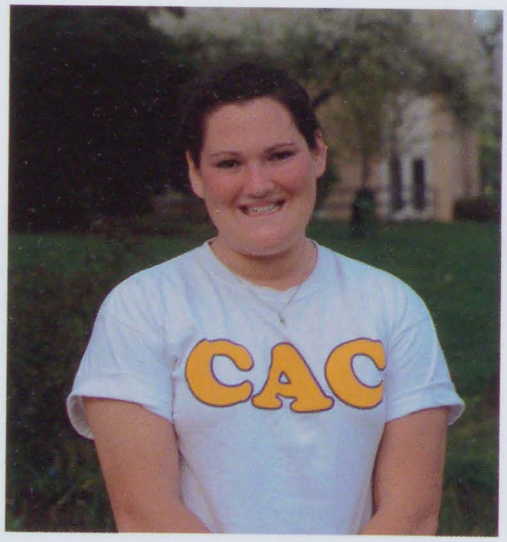
Iyana Mapp, President

"This year we invited other PASSHE schools to sing with us at our annual dance concert, 'A Night in Motion.' We also invite alumni back for Cafe 117."

Colleges Against Cancer

MISSION

"To provide cancer education, advocacy, and survivorship efforts for students during our monthly on-campus programs and events."



Caly Anthony, President

"Every year we do Relay for Life, and we did other fun events to raise awareness about cancer, like wearing pink hair extensions as a breast cancer fundraiser in October for Fall Kickoff."

French Club

MISSION

"To strive to become more educated in the French music, art, dancing, and theatre; to provide opportunities for students to visit international themed events near WCU."

Amanda Hershey, President

"This year we held fun events such as picnics, movie nights, and a masquerade night with mardi gras masks. We encourage people interested in French culture to join even if they don't speak the language. We also made a trip to the Van Gogh museum in Philadelphia!"

Friars' Society

MISSION

To attend, design, and implement various volunteer projects to benefit the campus and community; to recognize and develop further collegiate friendship, leadership, and character between men of West Chester University; to establish and maintain a spirit of brotherhood among Friars; to uphold scholastic and professional standards established by West Chester University; and to foster understanding, tolerance, and a spirit of unselfishness through campus and community service.

Michael DePrince, President

"We went to Alabama Last summer to help out with the crisis in the Gulf. We worked on building temporary housing to help people get back on their feet."

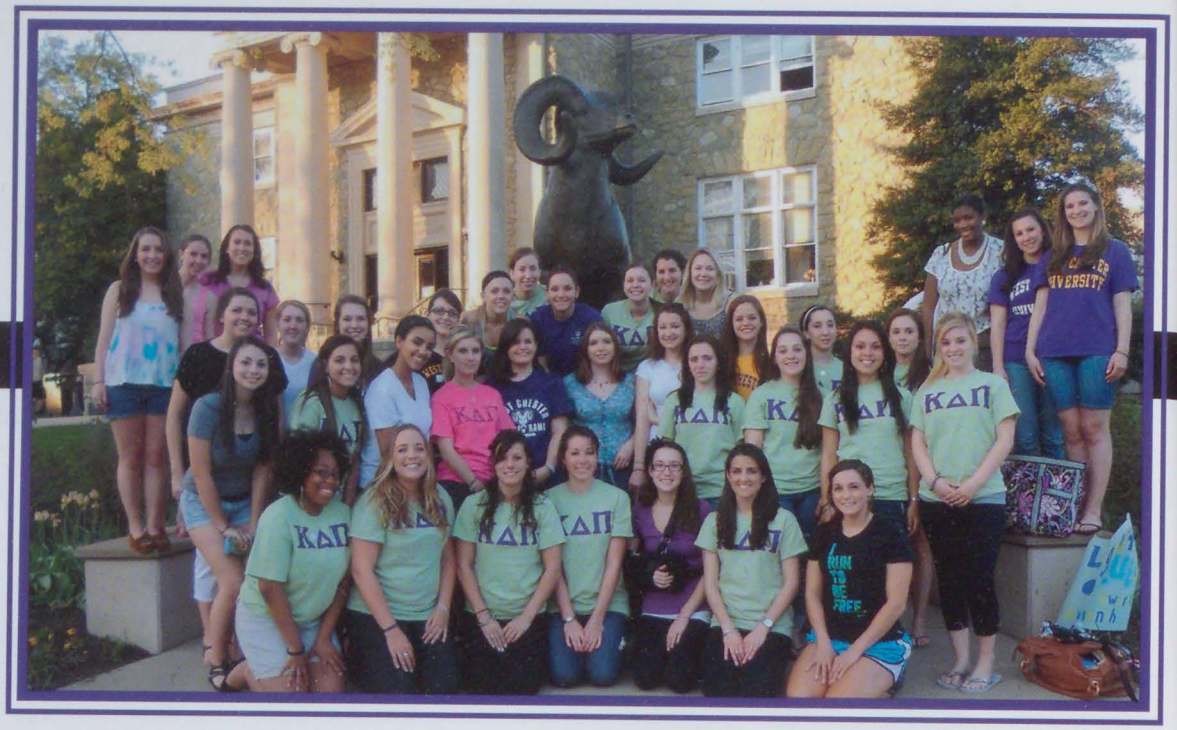
Honors Students Association

MISSION

"To build foundations of academic excellence, campus engagement and community building through a fostering of peer relationships."

Michael Jendzurski, President

"Our organization hosted and ran our primary philanthropy project, Aid to South Africa. At the event we had a 5-on-5 soccer tournament and walking teams, modeled after Relay for Life."



Kappa Delta Pi

MISSION

"To sustain an honored community of diverse educators by promoting excellence and advancing scholarship, leadership, and service."

Lambda Pi Eta

MISSION

"To foster and promote free and ethical communication, promote the widespread appreciation of the importance of communication in public and private life, the application of competent communication to improve the quality of human life and relationships, and the use of knowledge about communication to solve human problems."

The Quad

MISSION

"To inform and educate our peers, as well as university personnel of events on-campus and of breaking news around campus."

Alpha Sigma Tau

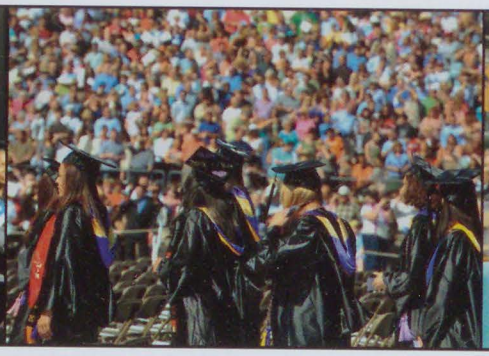
MISSION

"To foster intellectual, cultural, ethical and social development; instill a commitment to lifelong leadership; develop women who enrich the lives of others; promote an environment of shared understanding and respect for values, expectations and goals; sustain relationships that transcend the collegiate experience."

SENIORS

ON THE WAY OUT
ON THE WAY UP

West Chester University fall undergraduate and graduate commencements took place on December 18th and 19th, respectively, in the Hollinger Field House. Spring undergraduate commencement took place on May 12th at the John A. Farrell Stadium and the graduate ceremony was on May 14th. Special guest speakers at the ceremonies were Alan J. Butcher, Donald E. Leisey, Michael Brune, and Frances Hesselbein. The graduates all beamed and cheered as they accepted their diplomas and descended the stage to celebrate with their friends and family. The class of 2012 has finally made it and are now on their way up in the world!



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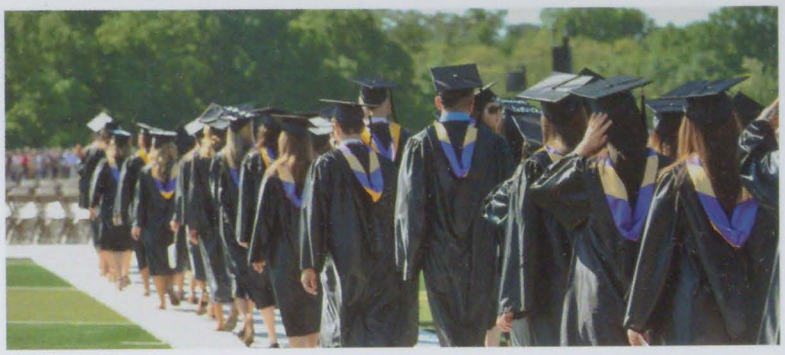

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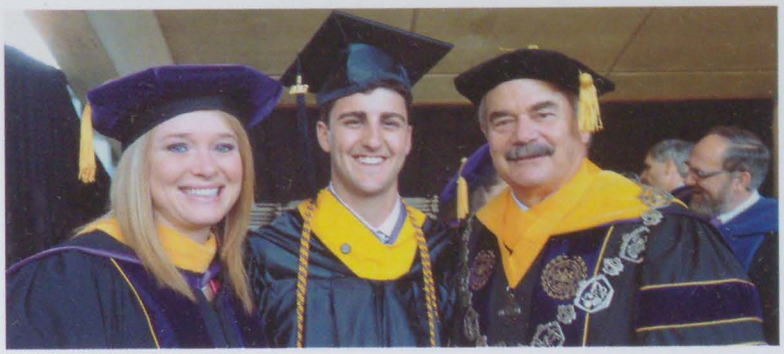

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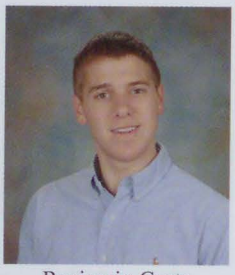
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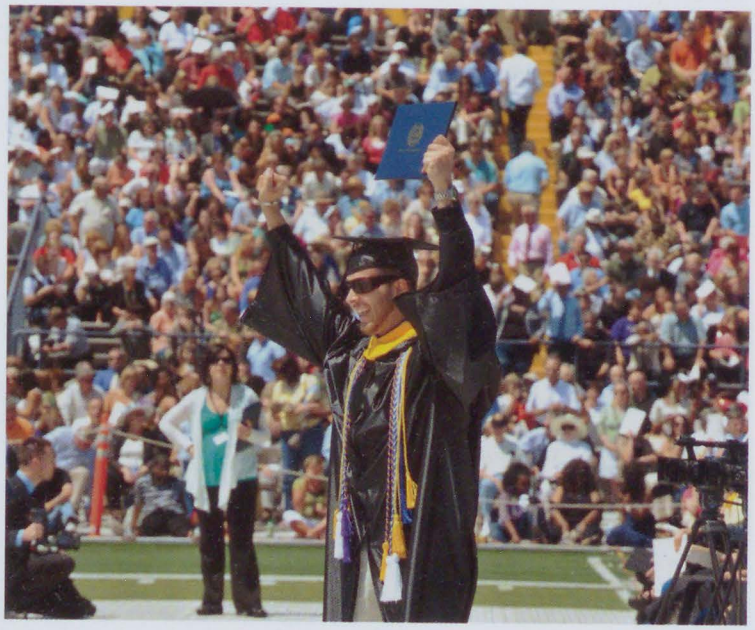

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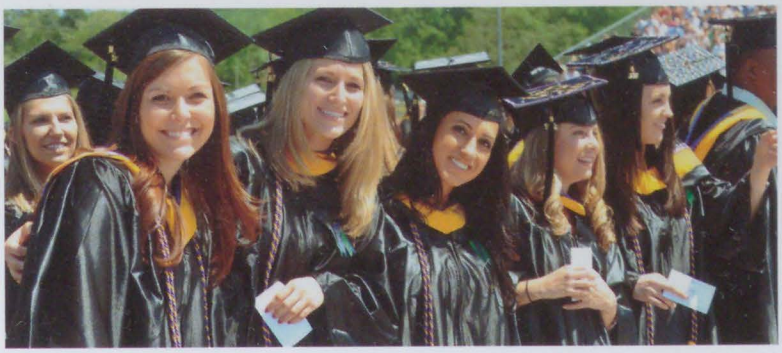

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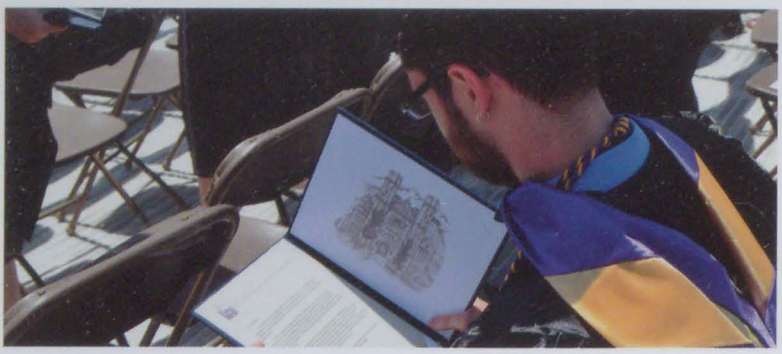

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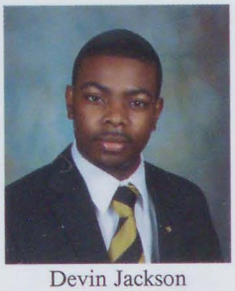
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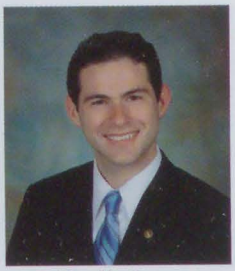
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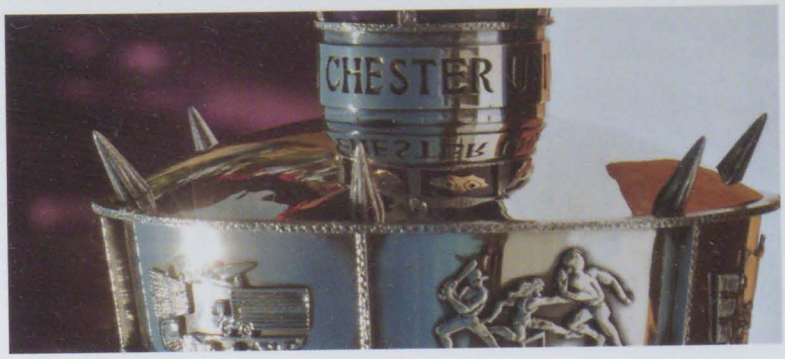

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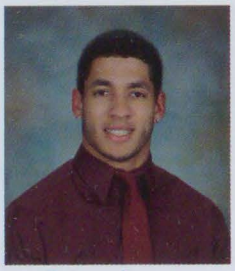
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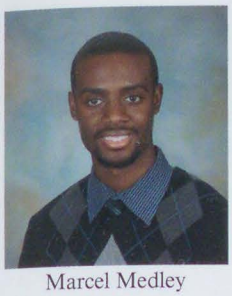
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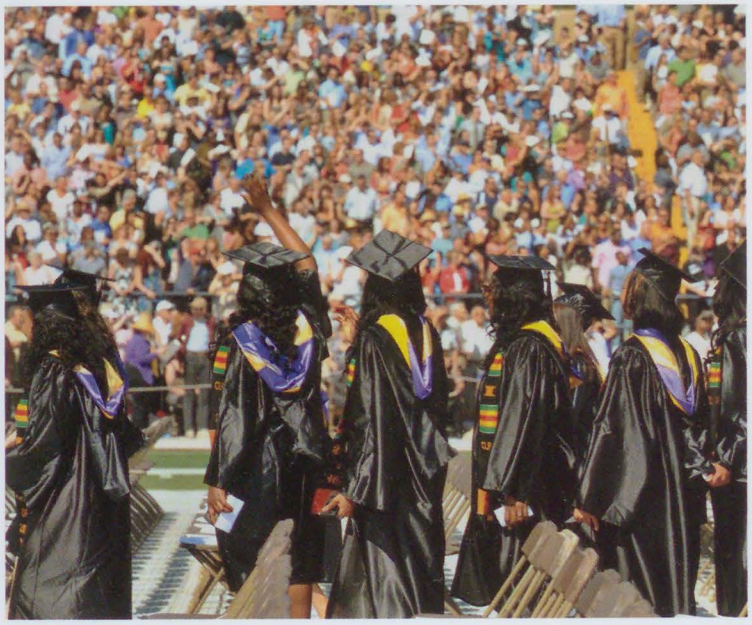

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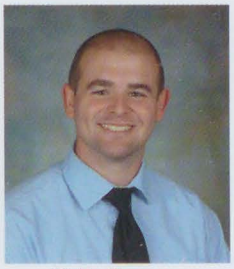
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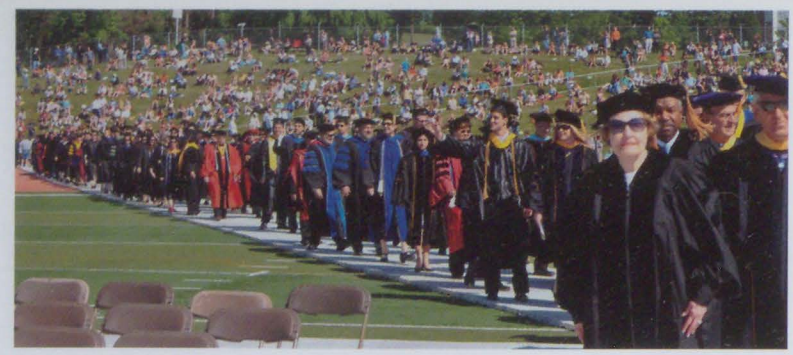

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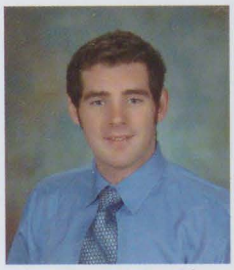
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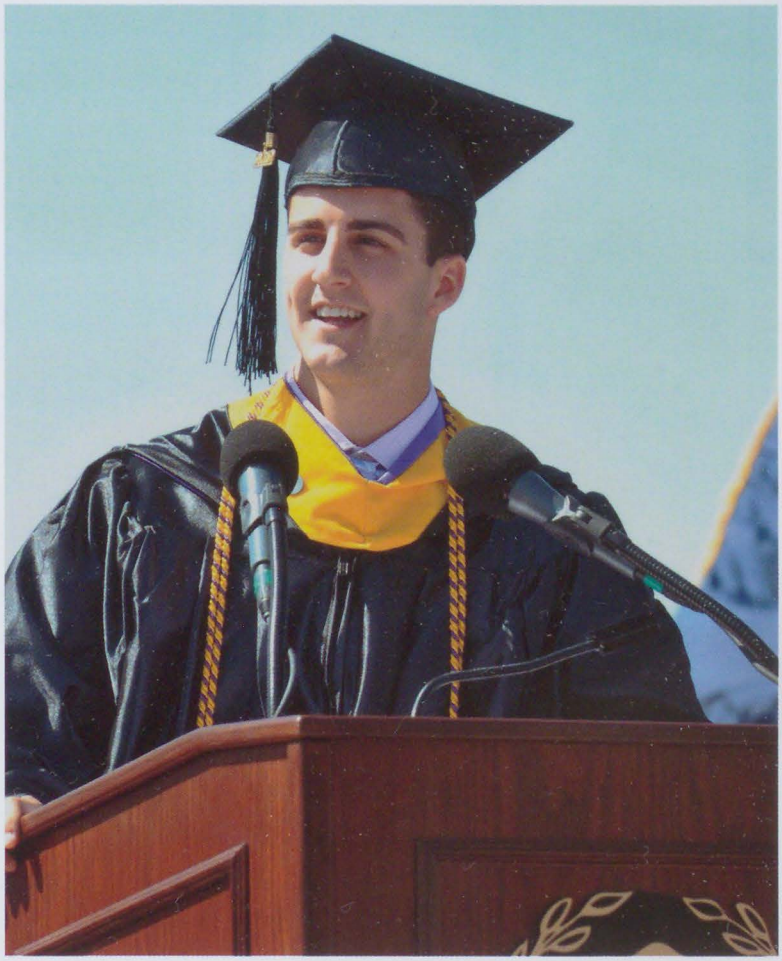

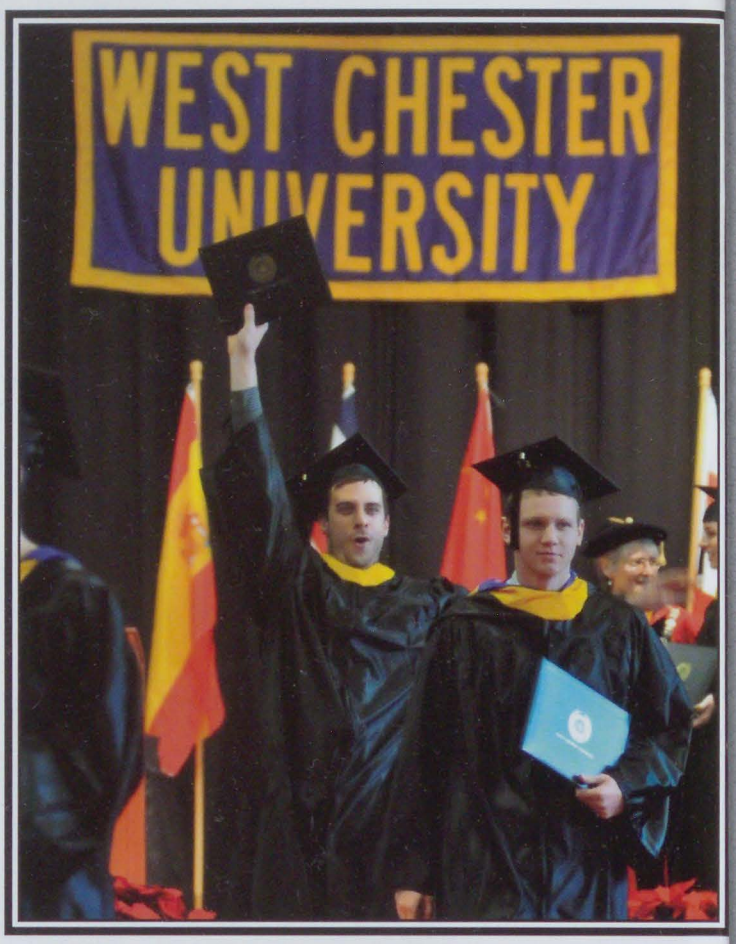

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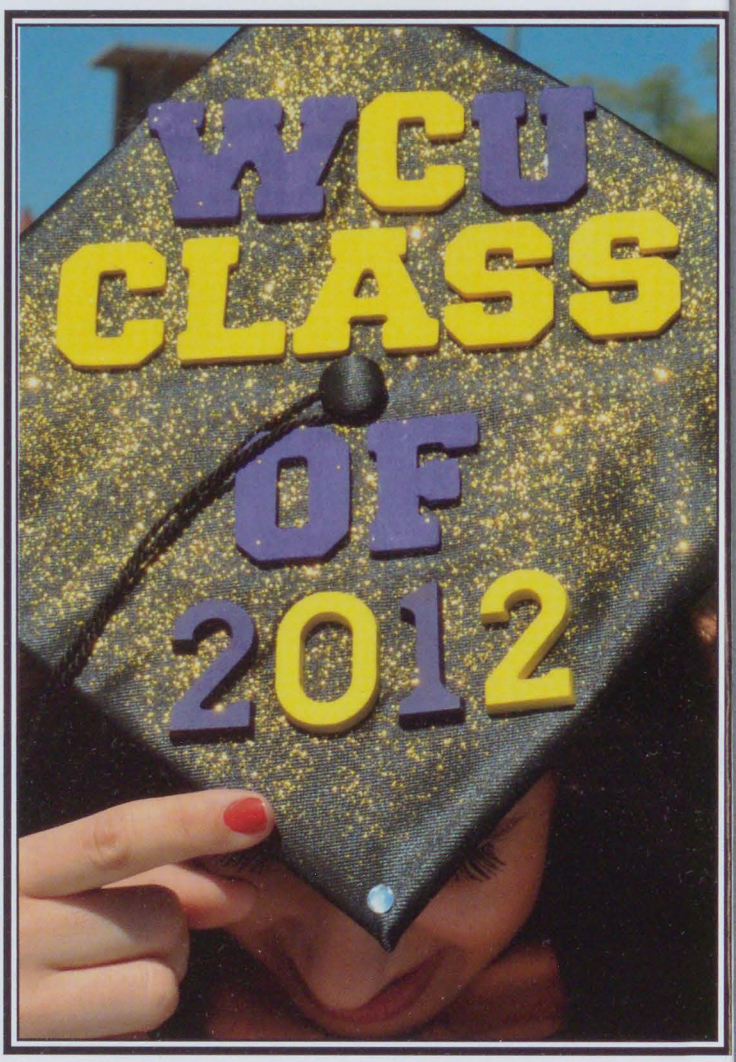

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